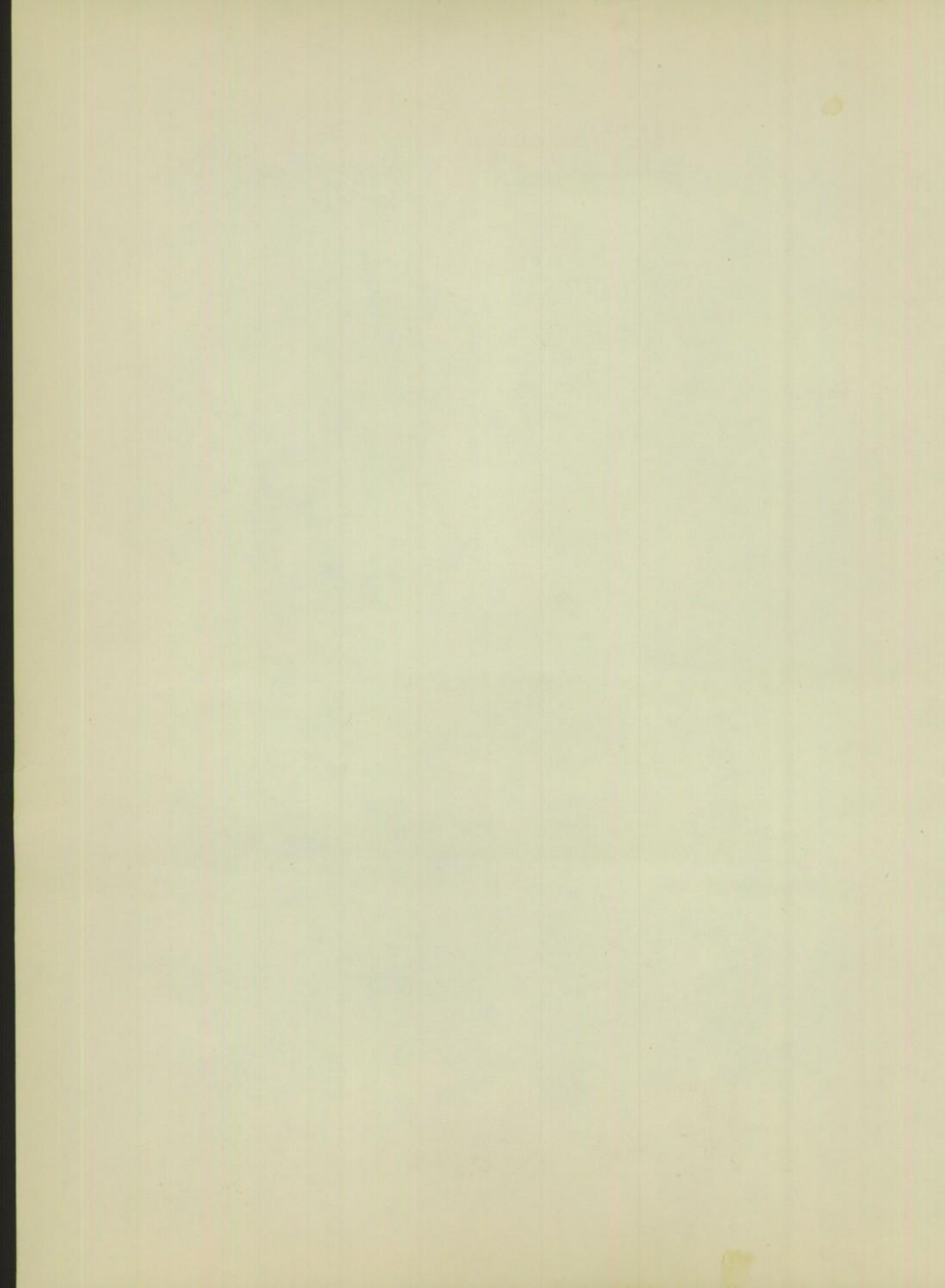


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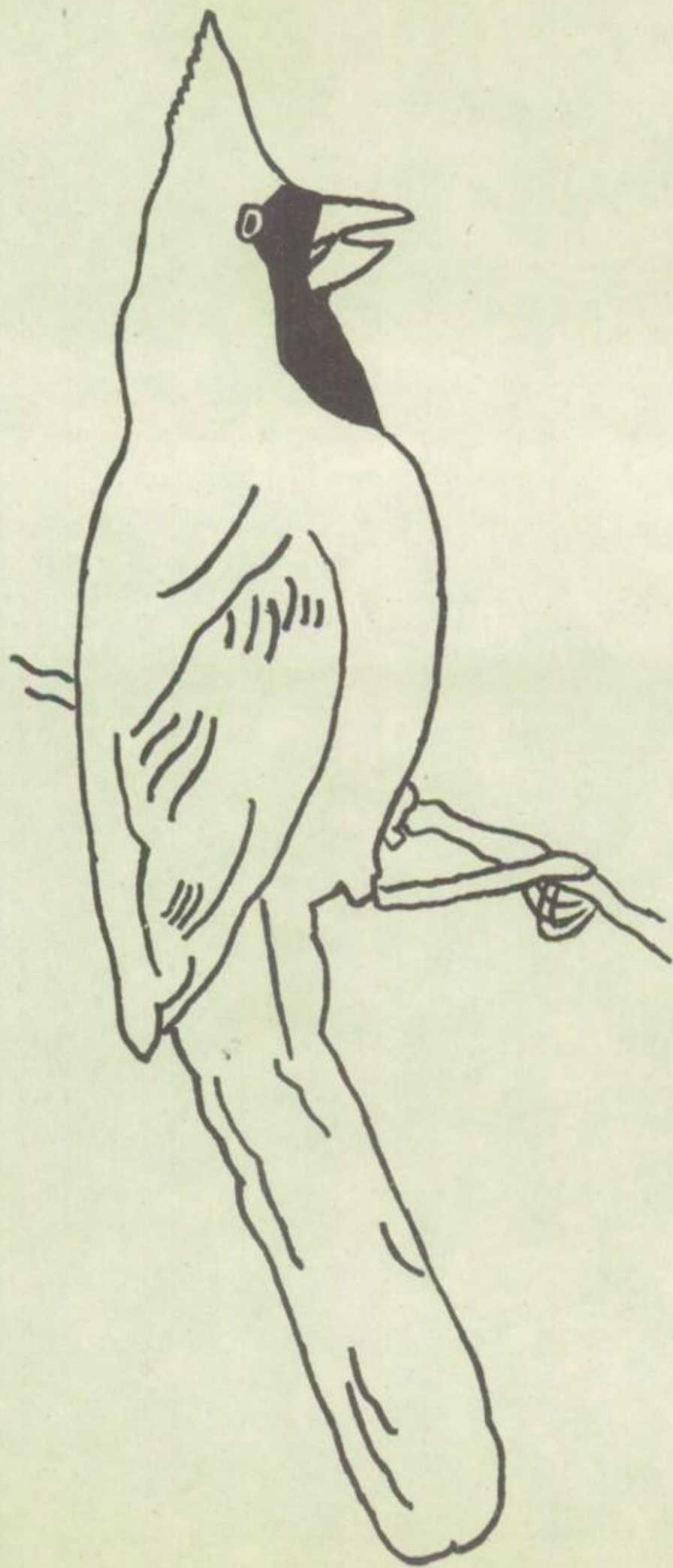
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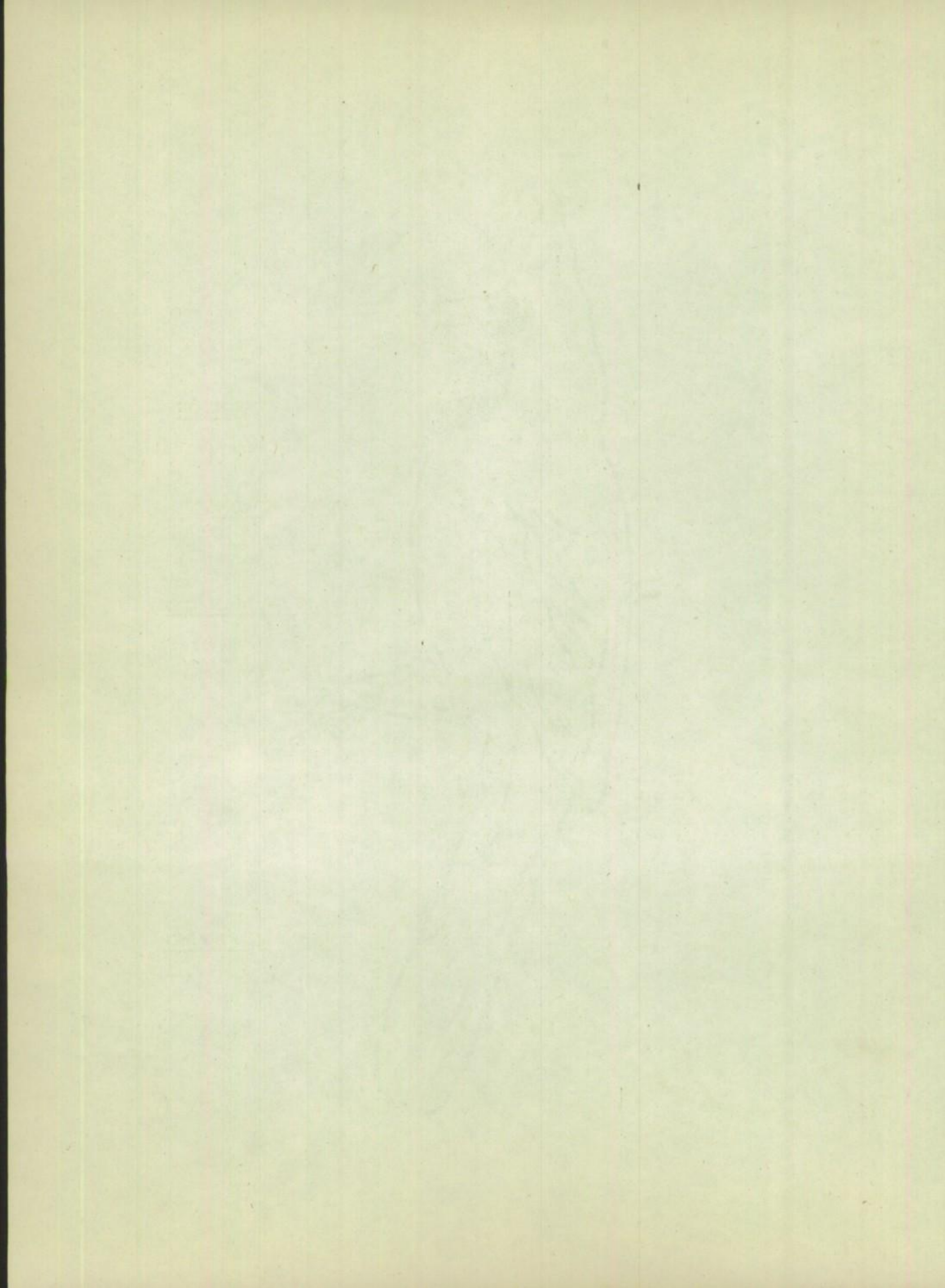
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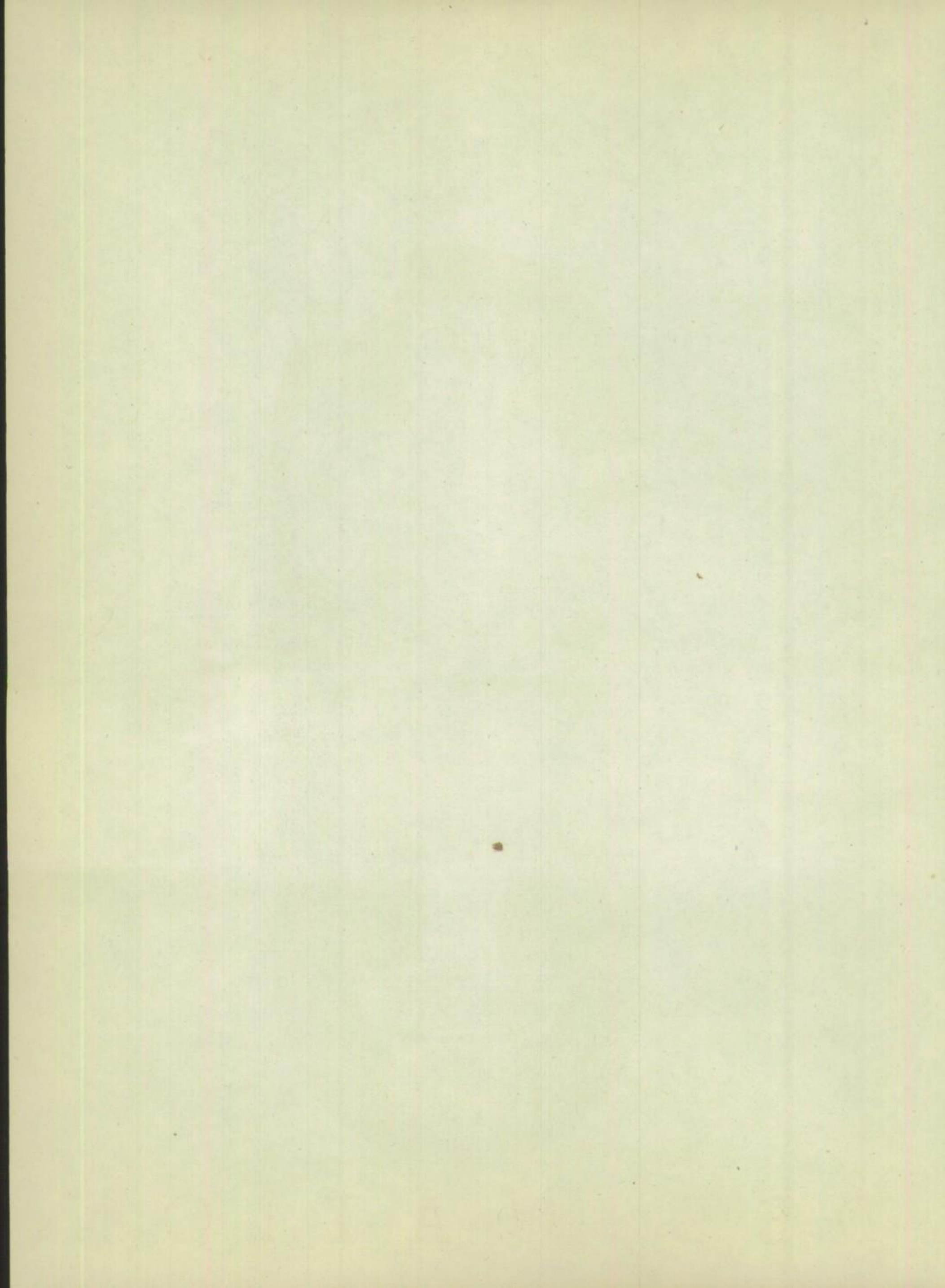
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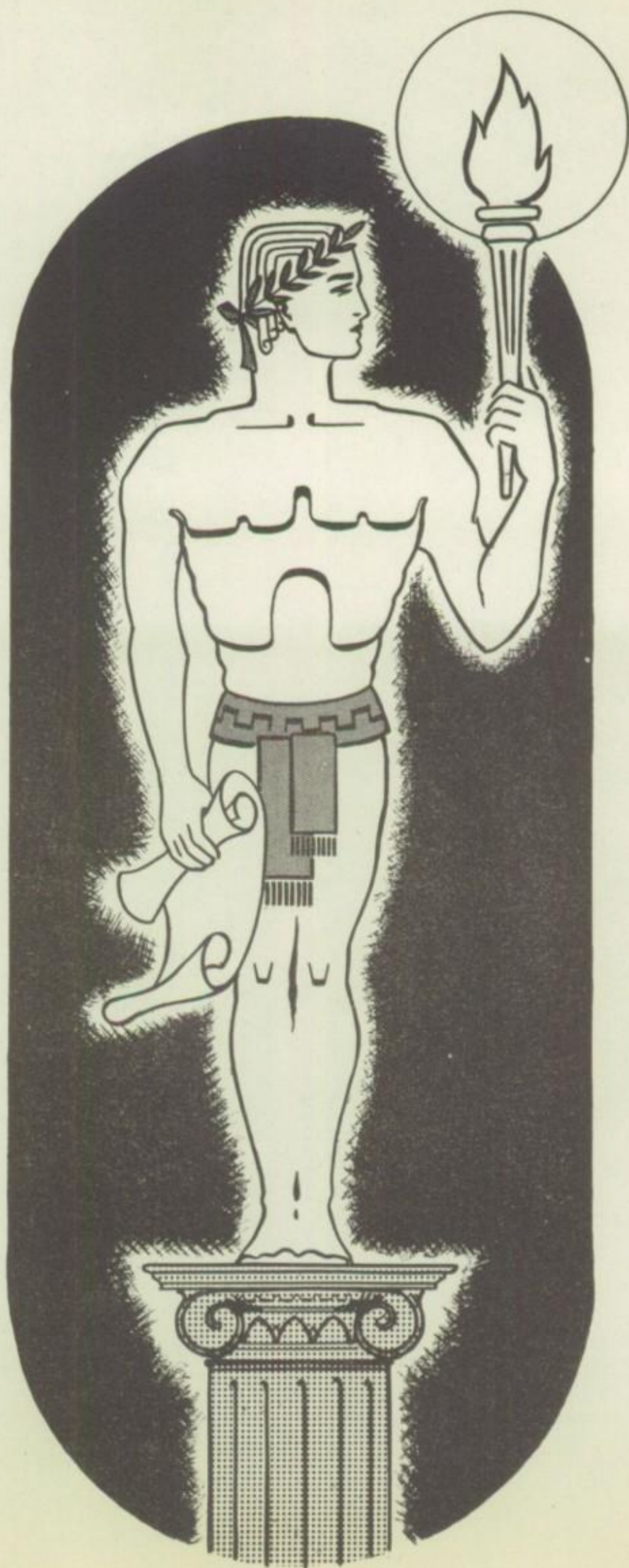
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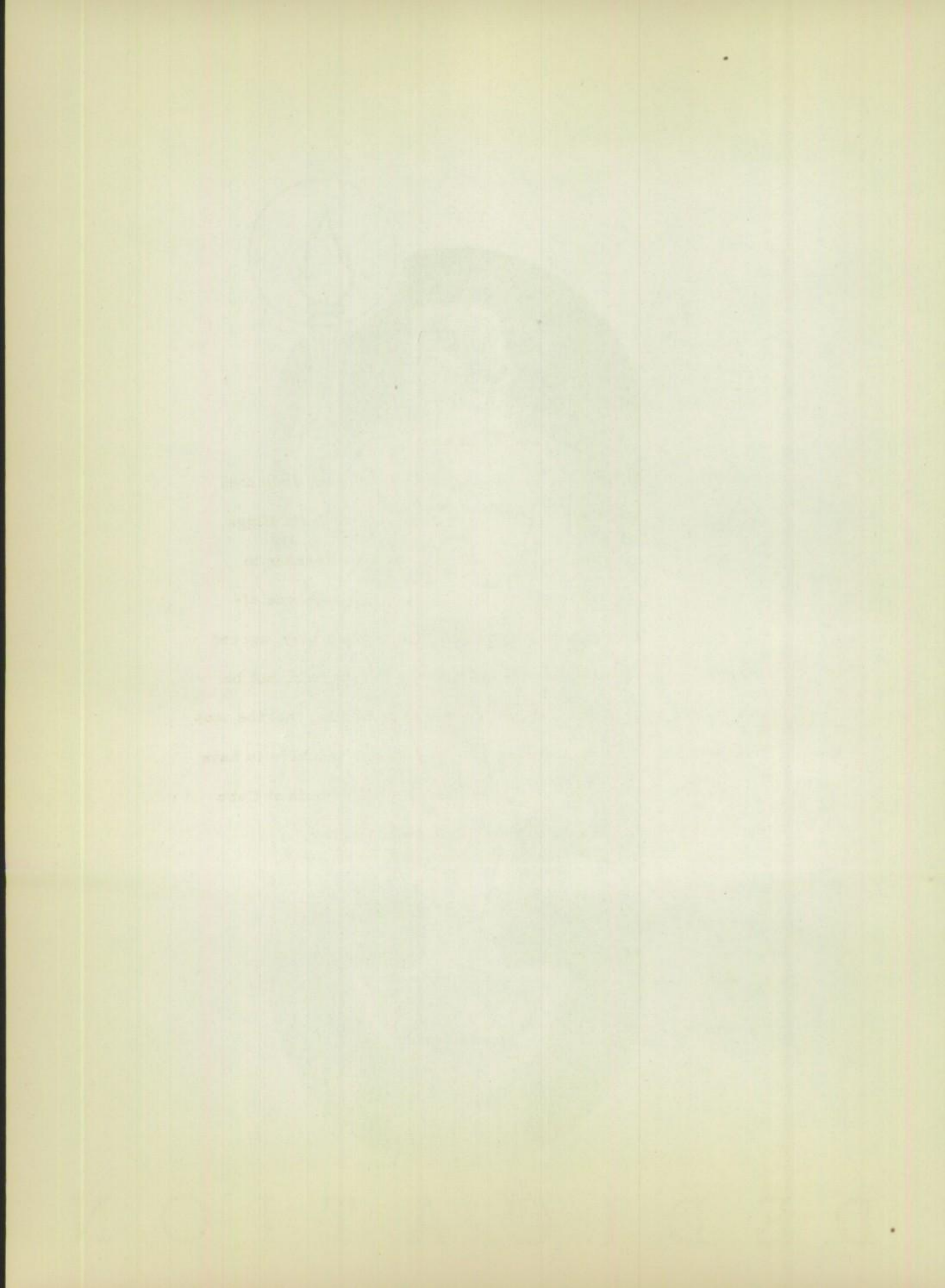
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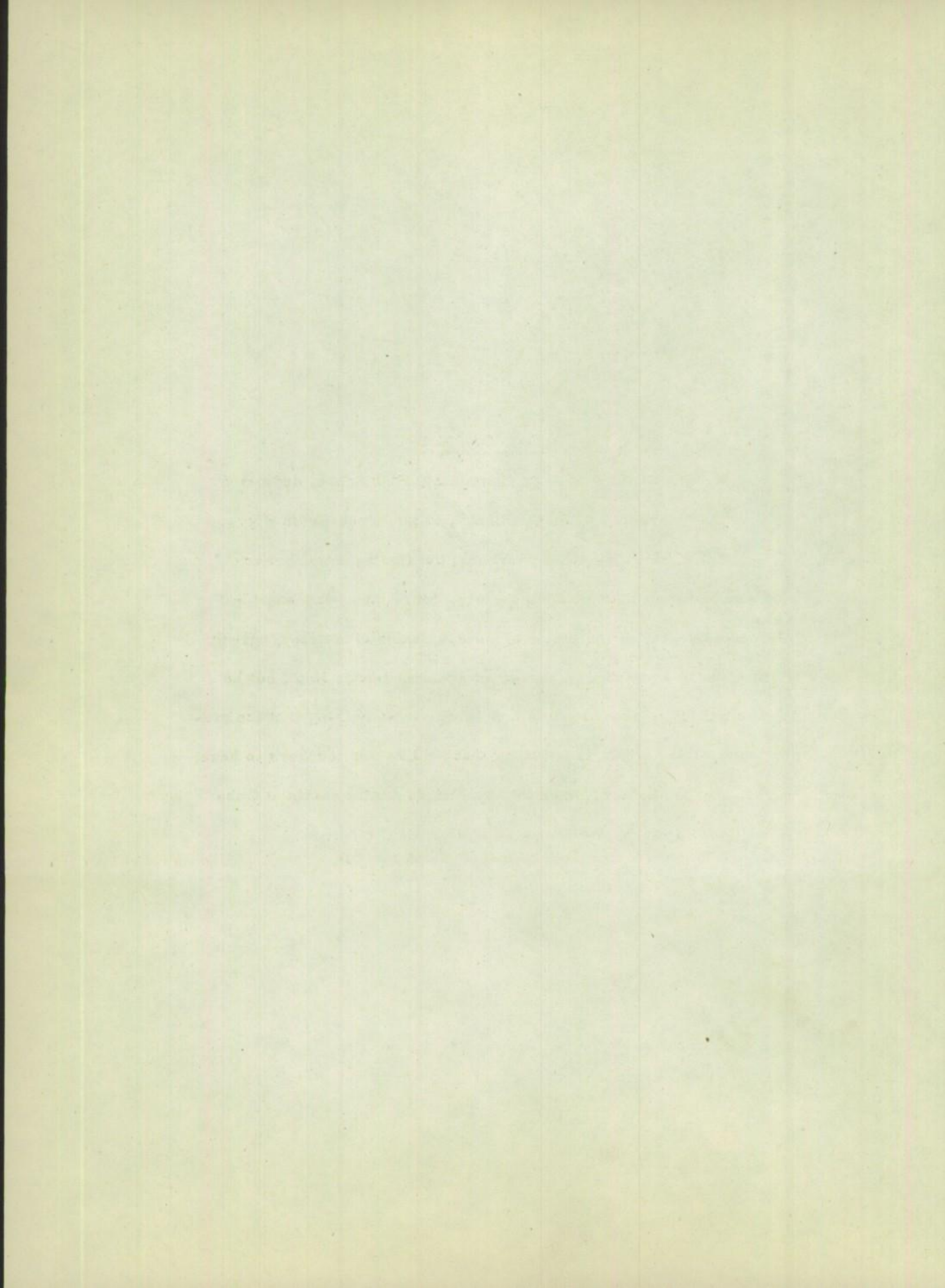


DEDICATION

We, the Seniors of Cuba Community High School, dedicated our first yearbook, "The Cardinal", to Mr. Fred Ervin Biggs.

The Seniors wanted a yearbook; but finding a teacher to sponsor the project was impossible. Mr. Biggs, who was already director of the Junior class and Senior class play, agreed to sponsor a yearbook. He had no training in this field, but he was willing to give his time and energy to something that the students wanted. This is a quality that we like our teachers to have.

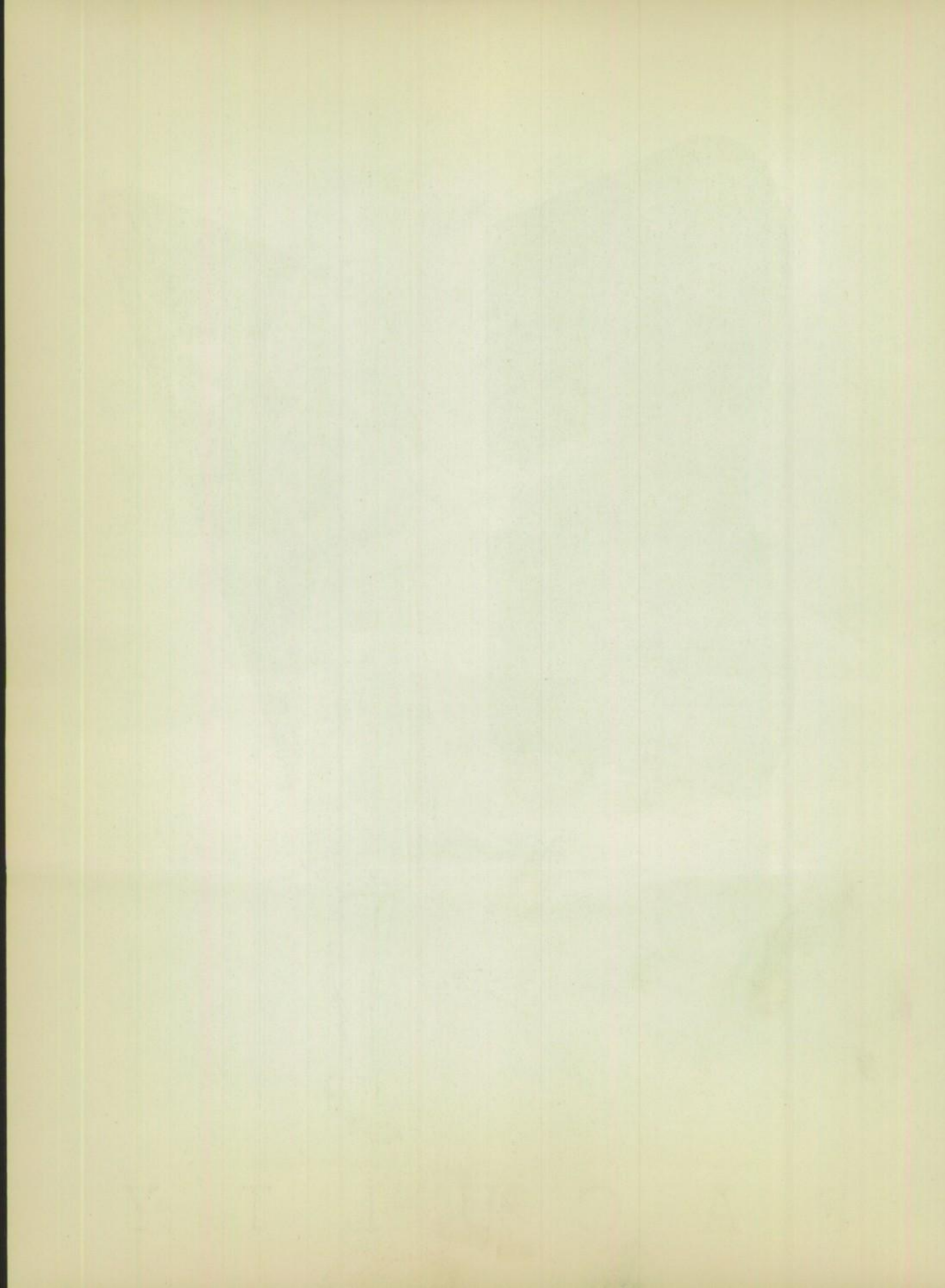
We, the Seniors, hope that Mr. Biggs shall remain at Cuba High many years. He is our idea of an ideal teacher.



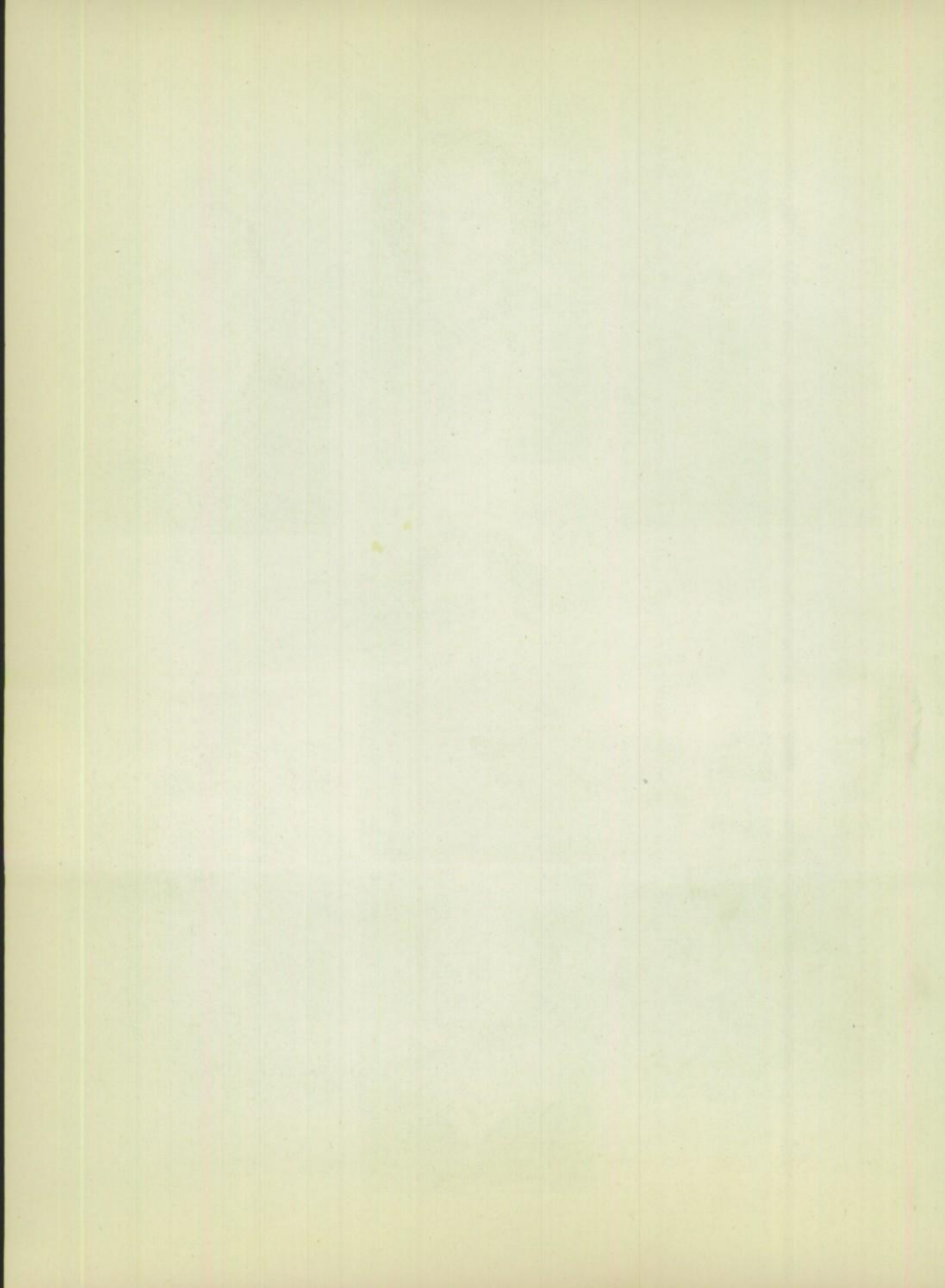




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Mr. Crews: Is the subject clear?

Betty Herriford: Clear as mud.

Mr. Crews: Then it covers the ground.

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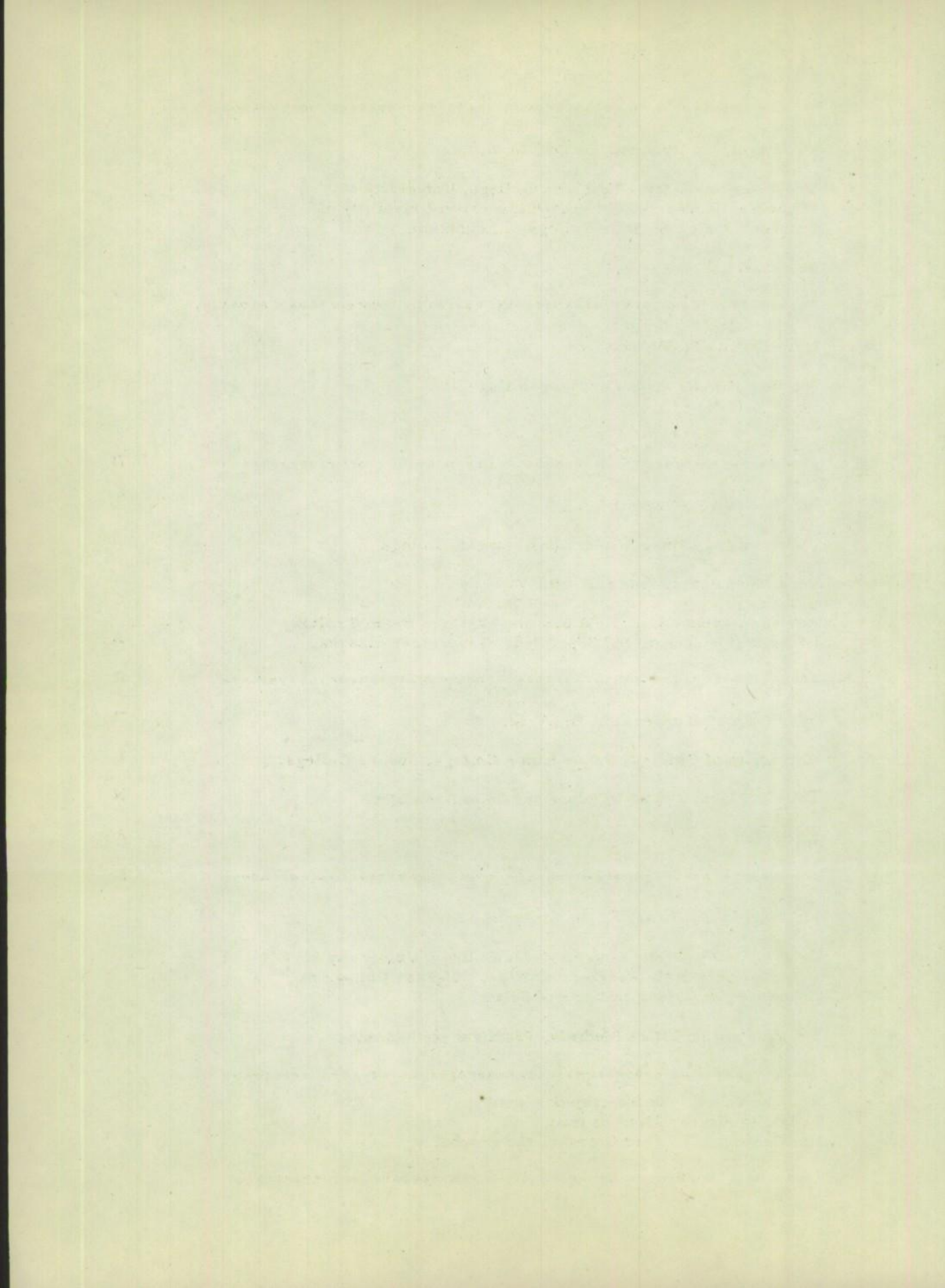
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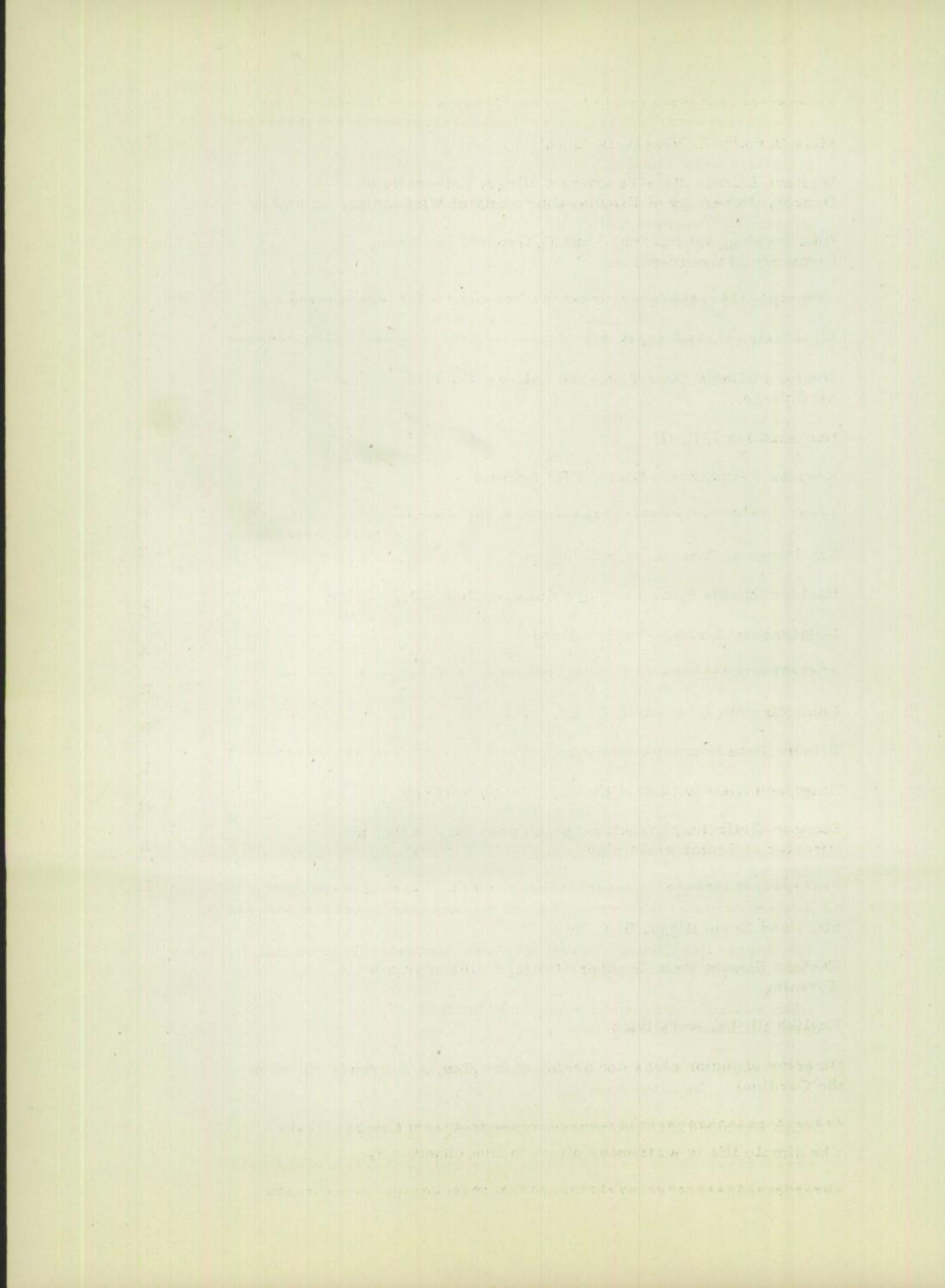
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The simple life is a strenuous effort to live unnaturally.

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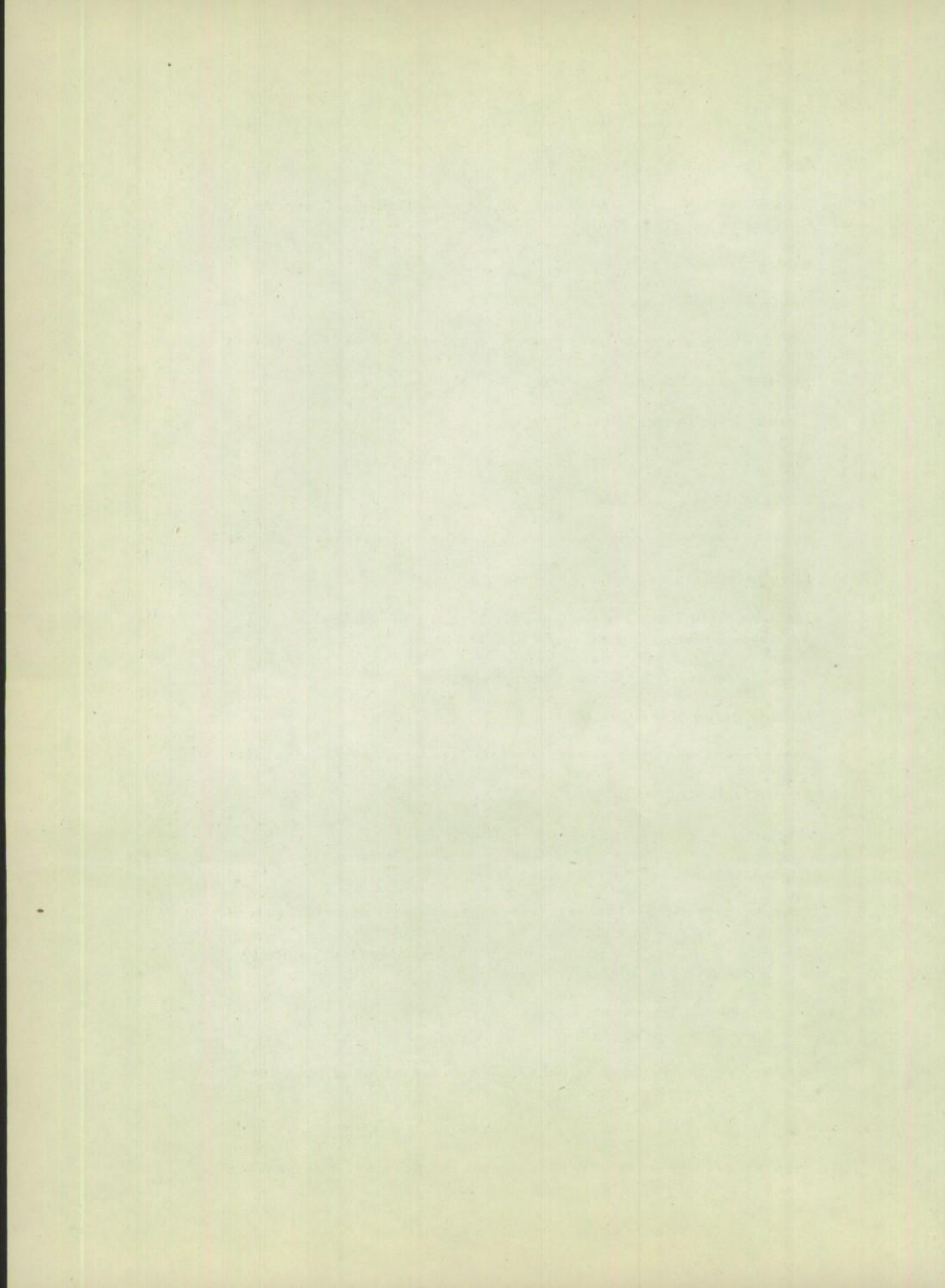
Mr. Biggs: (in English class) Who was Alexander Graham Bell?
John Shaw: He was a man!

Miss Pennell: Where was Alexander buried?
Bob Williams: In the ground.

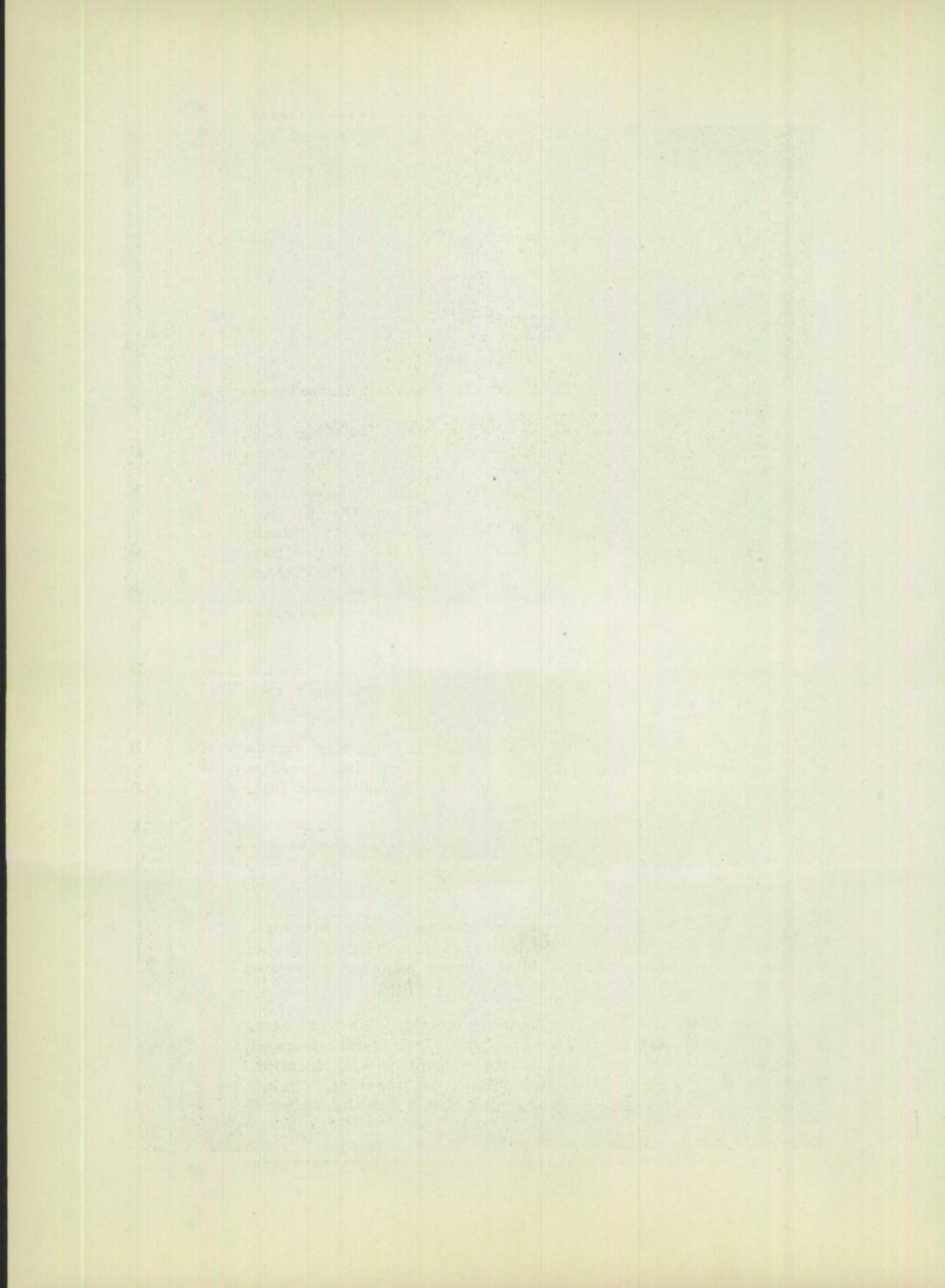
Mr. Veach: A woman is as old as she looks. A man is old when
he stops looking.

Miss Barbre: All that I know I learned after I was 30.

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Puffed up over the medal I had won in school as the best reader, I boasted to my nurse: "Let's see if you can read as well as I do!"

Taking my book, she looked closely at it and finally stammered: "Why, the truth is--I don't know how to read!"

Amazed, I hurried into the library to find my father. "Nanny doesn't know how to read," I announced, "and I, just a little boy, already have a medal for it. I wonder how she feels, looking at a book she can't read?"

Father quietly took a volume from the bookshelves, then opened it. "Like this!" he replied.

The book was in Chinese.

Even now whenever I feel like bragging, I think how much I still have to learn and tell myself: "Remember, you can't read Chinese!"

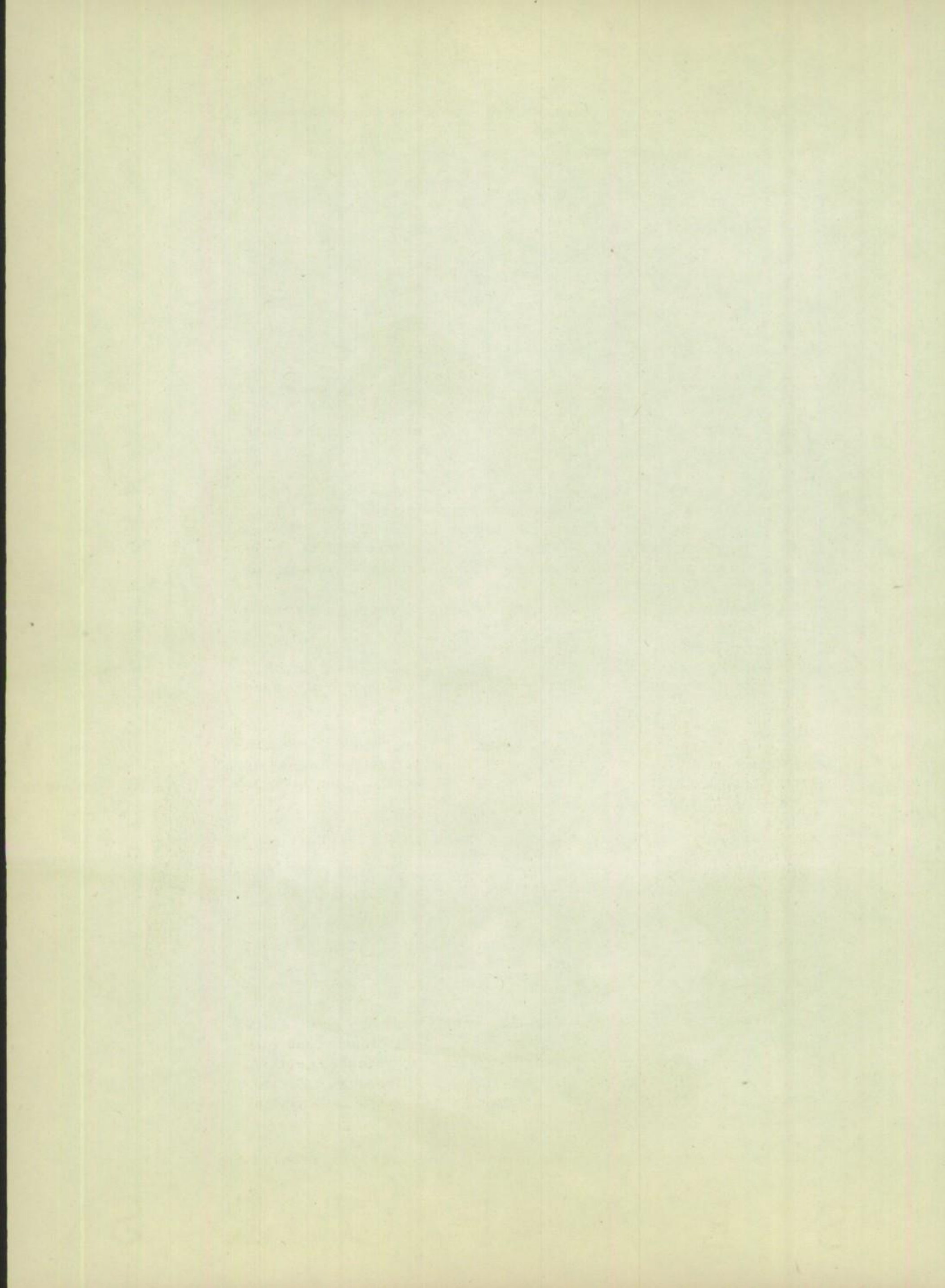
At a party, Harold Crews was watching a tall, slender woman in a white evening gown, Miss Tapper. When he was introduced to her, he told her: "You had better avoid drinking any tomato juice or you'll be mistaken for a thermometer."

GRADE SCHOOL FACULTY

First Row - Left to right - Miss Lucy Marshall, first grade; Mrs. Florence Blunk, third grade; Mrs. Katheryn Laws, fifth grade; Mr. James Lowell Marvin, band; Miss Hazel Swanson, second grade; Miss Dorothy Marshall, fourth grade.

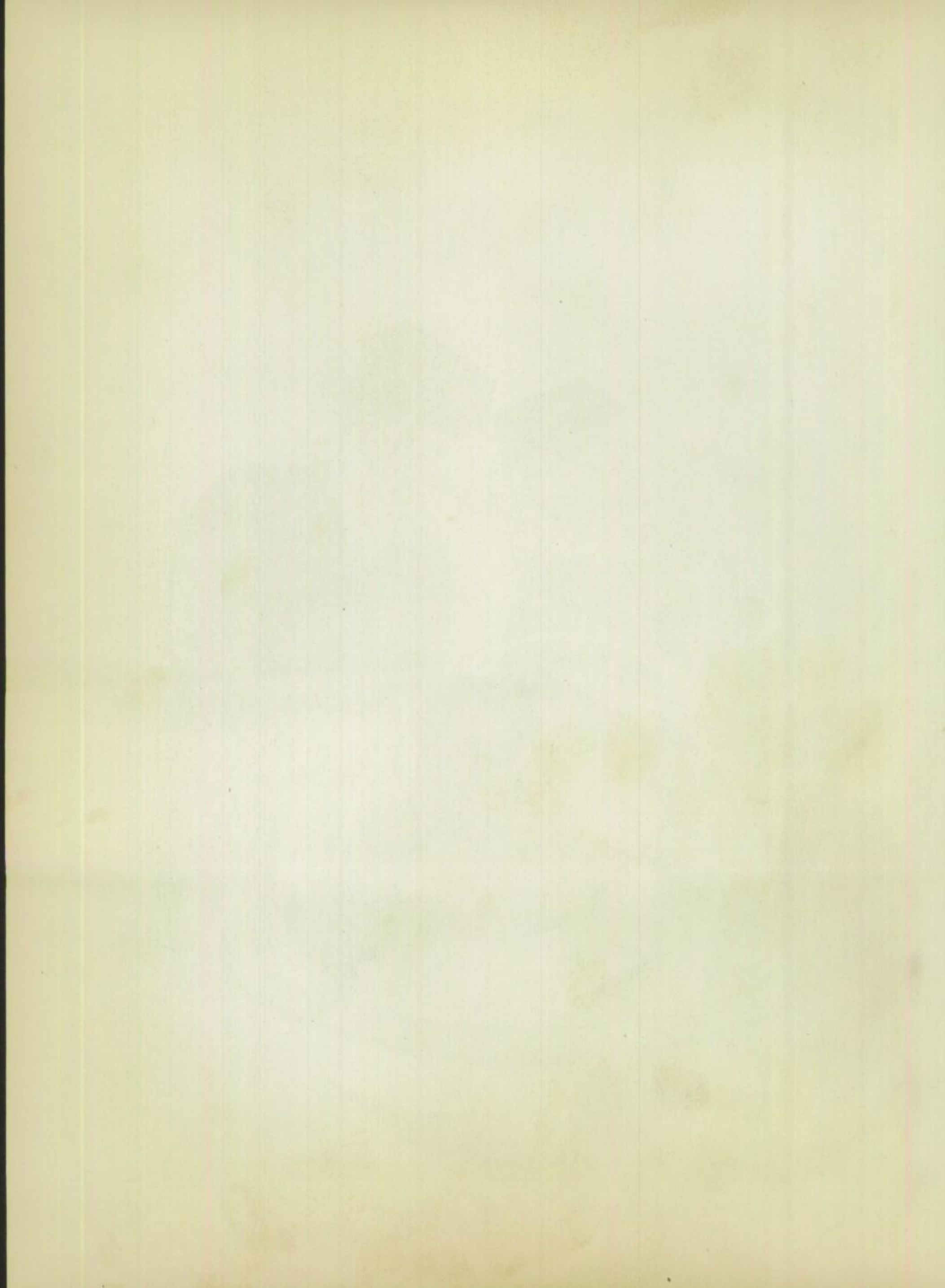
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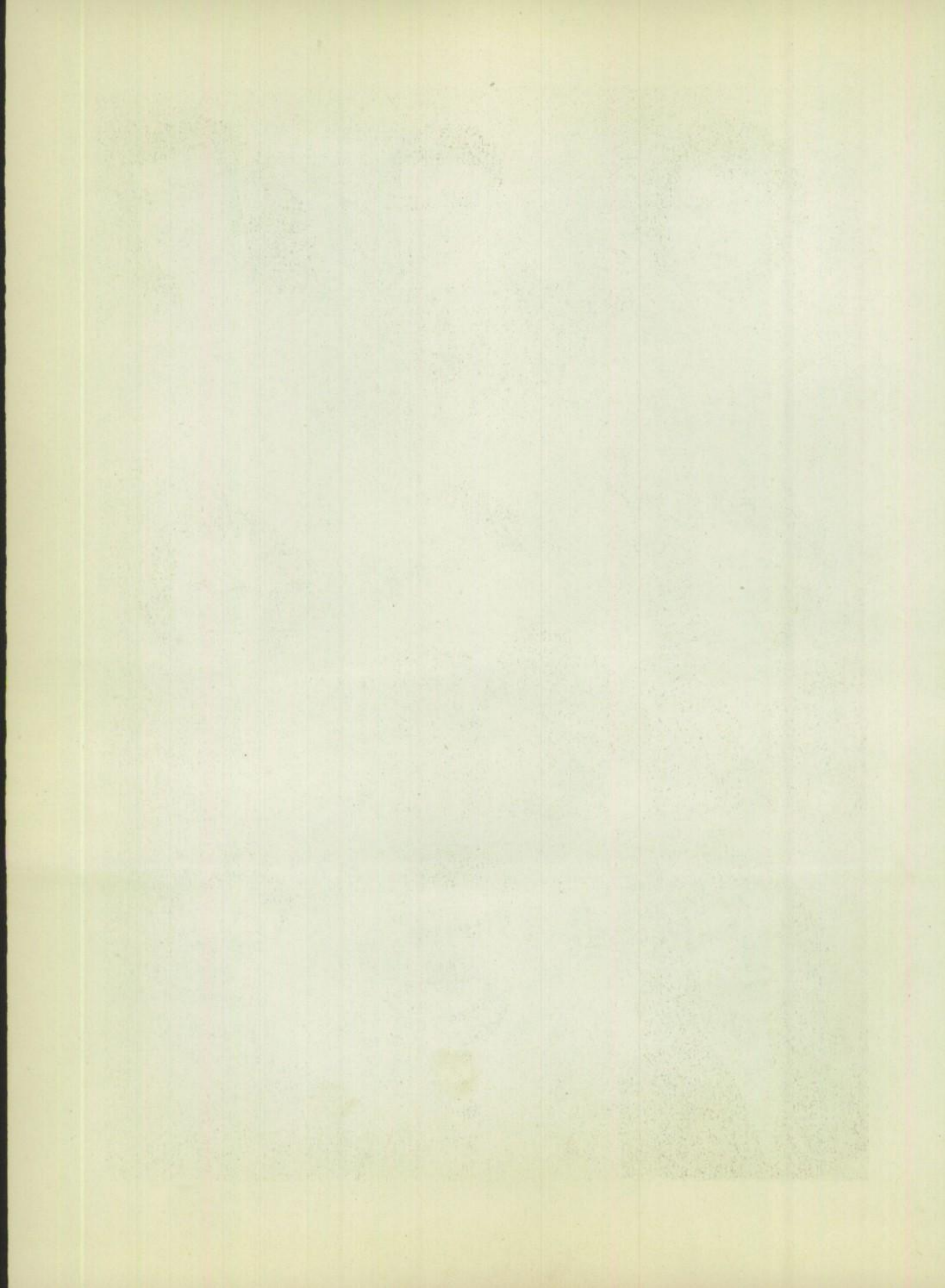


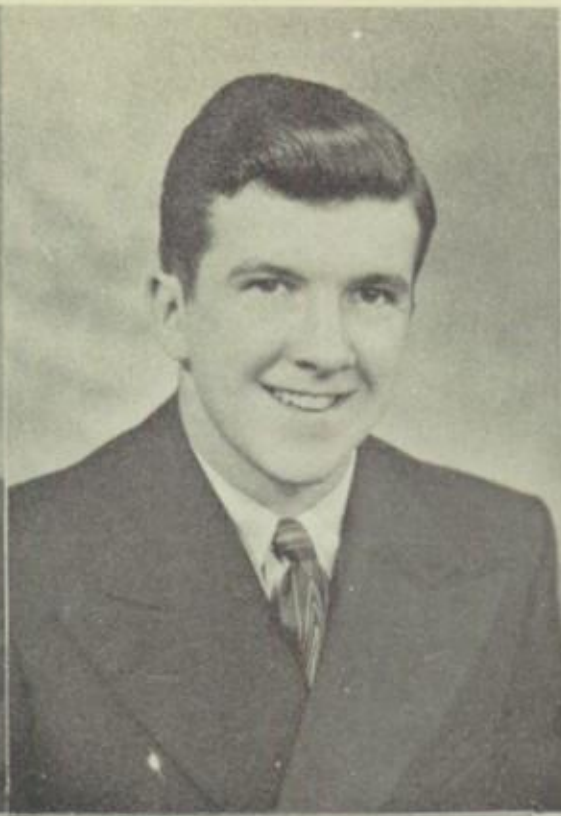


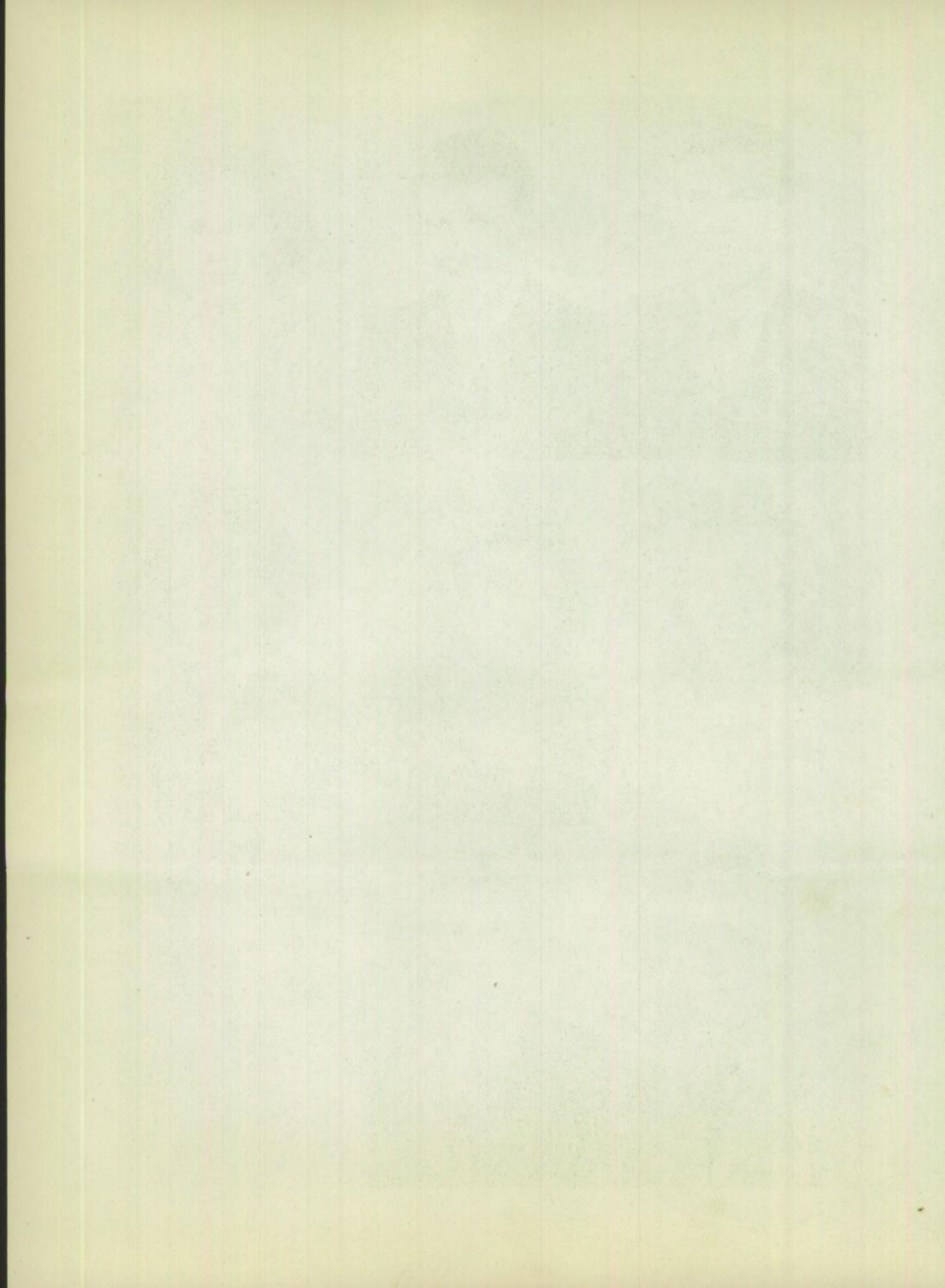
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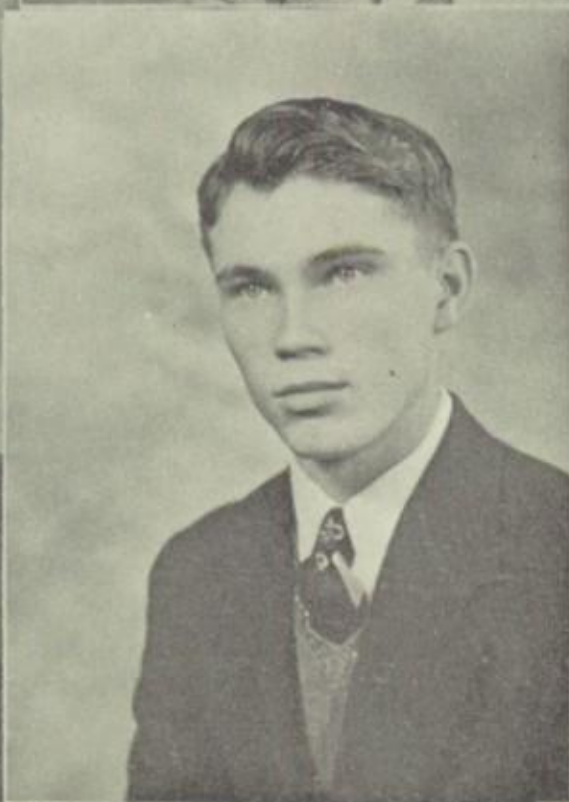






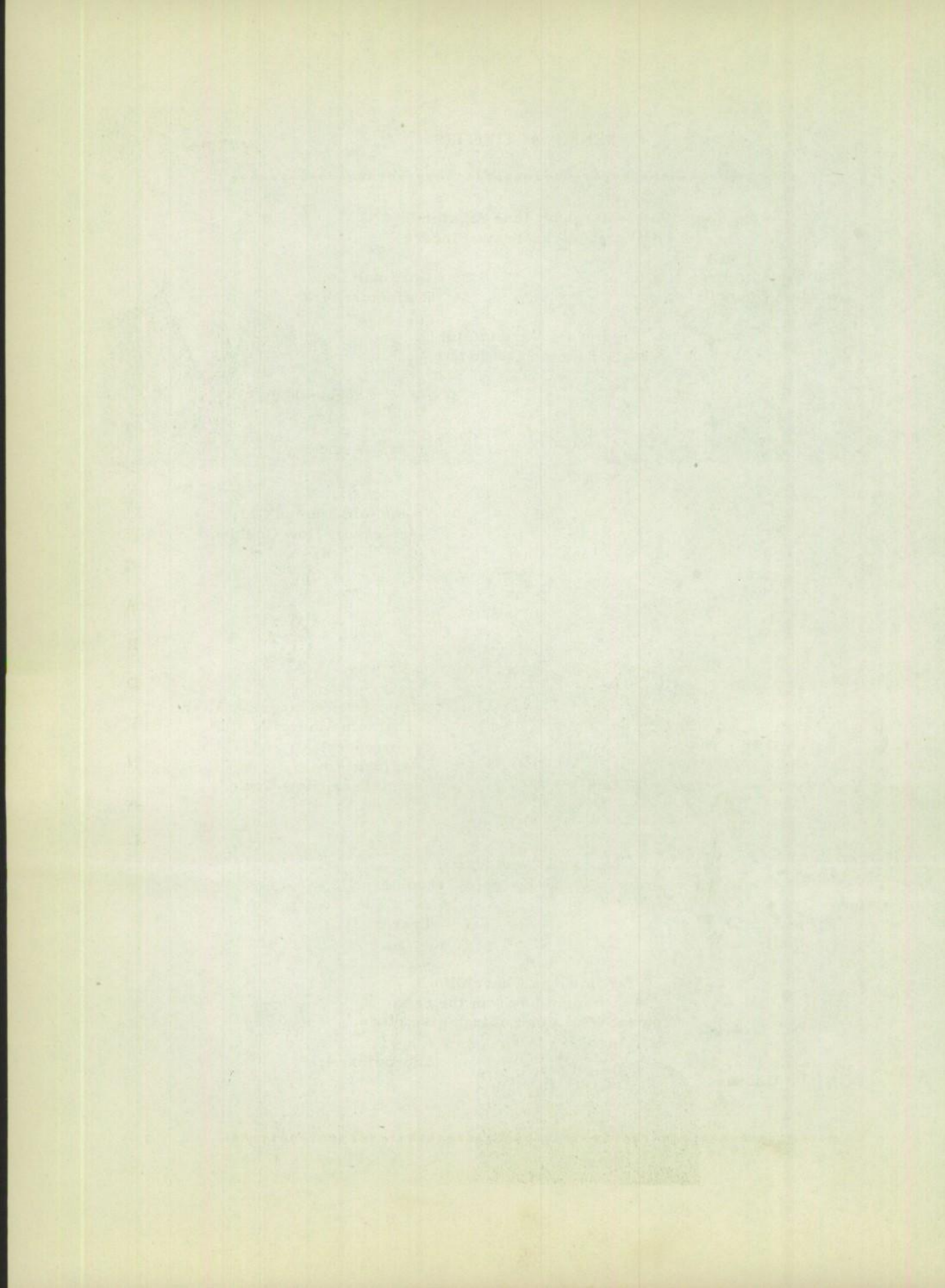












SENIOR ACTIVITIES

Margaret Jane Amsler
"Very quiet, always Sincere."

Librarian: 1, 2;
Student Council: 4;

Cardinal: 4;
Reflector: 4;

Harold Vernon Ault
"In the bloom of health."

F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;

Boys' Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;

Donna Jean Bell
"Little, but O My!"

G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;
Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;
F.H.A.: 2, 3, 4;

Reflector: 3, 4
"Mountain Mumps": 3;
"Professor, How Could
You!": 4;

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Clara Marie Black
"Man has his will, but woman has her way."

Pres. of Class: 1;
"Almost a Hero": 1;
Torch Staff: 1;
Student Council: 1;
Transferred from Smithfield: 2;
Reflector: 2, 3, 4;
G.A.A.: 1, 2;

Humorous Readings: 2, 3, 4;
"Mountain Mumps": 3;
Cheerleader: 3;
Cardinal: 4;
"Professor, How Could
You!": 4;

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Lowell Leon Bryan
"He-man with the powerful shoulders."

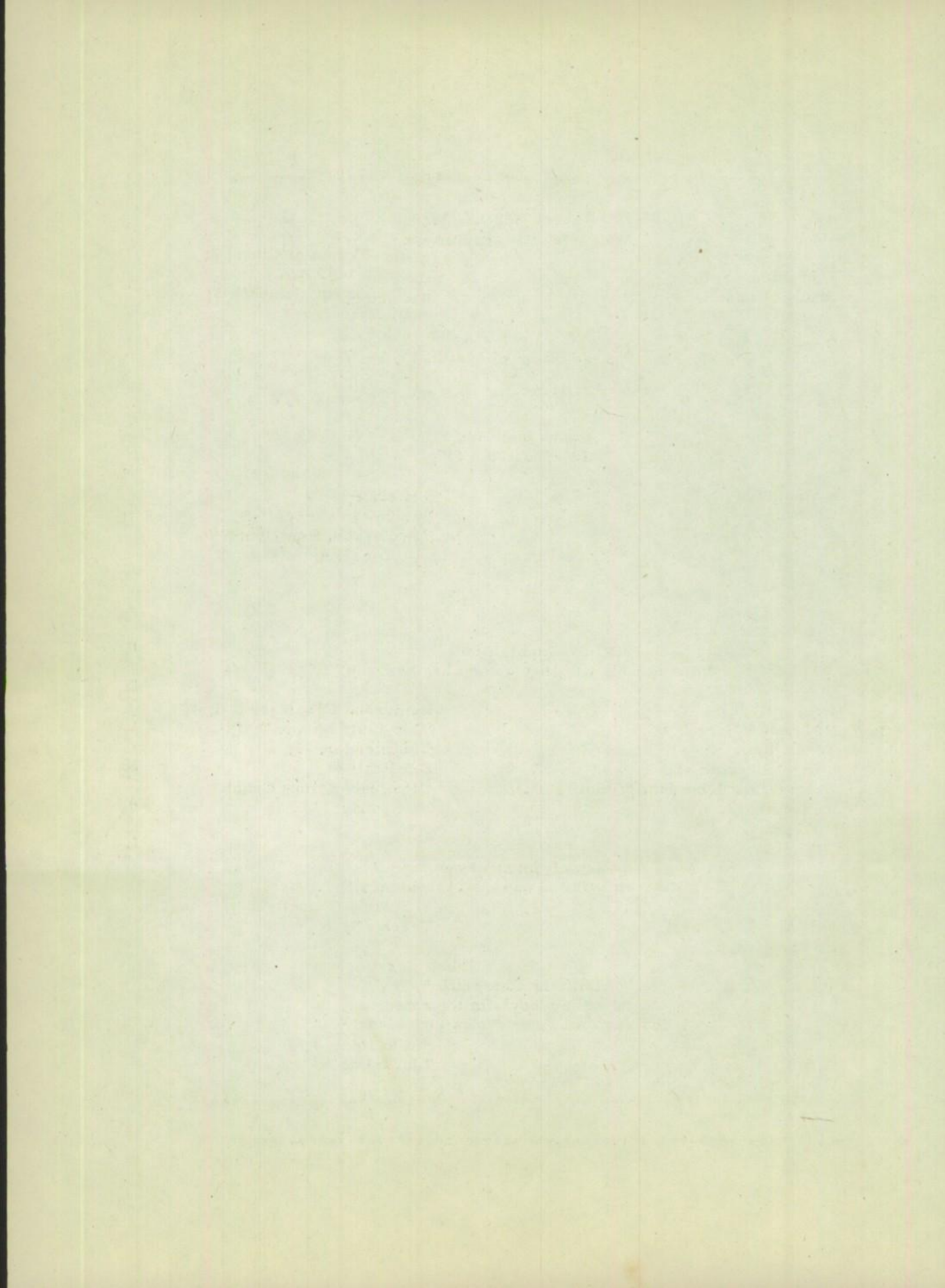
F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
Football: 2, 3;

Track: 3;

Alice Ann Churchill
"And when a boy's in the case
You know all other things give place."

G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;
Girls' Chorus

Librarian: 4;



Vera Mae Clayberg
 "It is better to have loved and lost,
 than never to have loved."

Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Sec-Treas. of Class: 2;
Band: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Pres. of G.A.A.: 3;
G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;	"Mountain Mumps": 3;
Music Contests: 1, 2, 3;	Cheerleader: 2;
Reflector: 1, 2, 3;	

Lawrence Edward Clifford
 "My kingdom for an argument."

Football: 2, 3, 4;	Reflector: 2, 3, 4;	T
Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4;	F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;	
Pres. of Class: 4;	"Mountain Mumps": 3;	H
Vice-Pres. of Class: 2;	Cardinal: 4;	
Student Council: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Operetta: 2;	E
Chorus: 2, 3, 4;	"Professor, How Could You!": 4;	

Carl Duane Conine
 "Live while you're livin',
 'cause you're goin' to be long time dead."

F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Band: 1, 2, 3;	R
Reflector: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Track: 1;	D
Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;		

Floyd Eugene Davis
 "The man with the jet black hair."

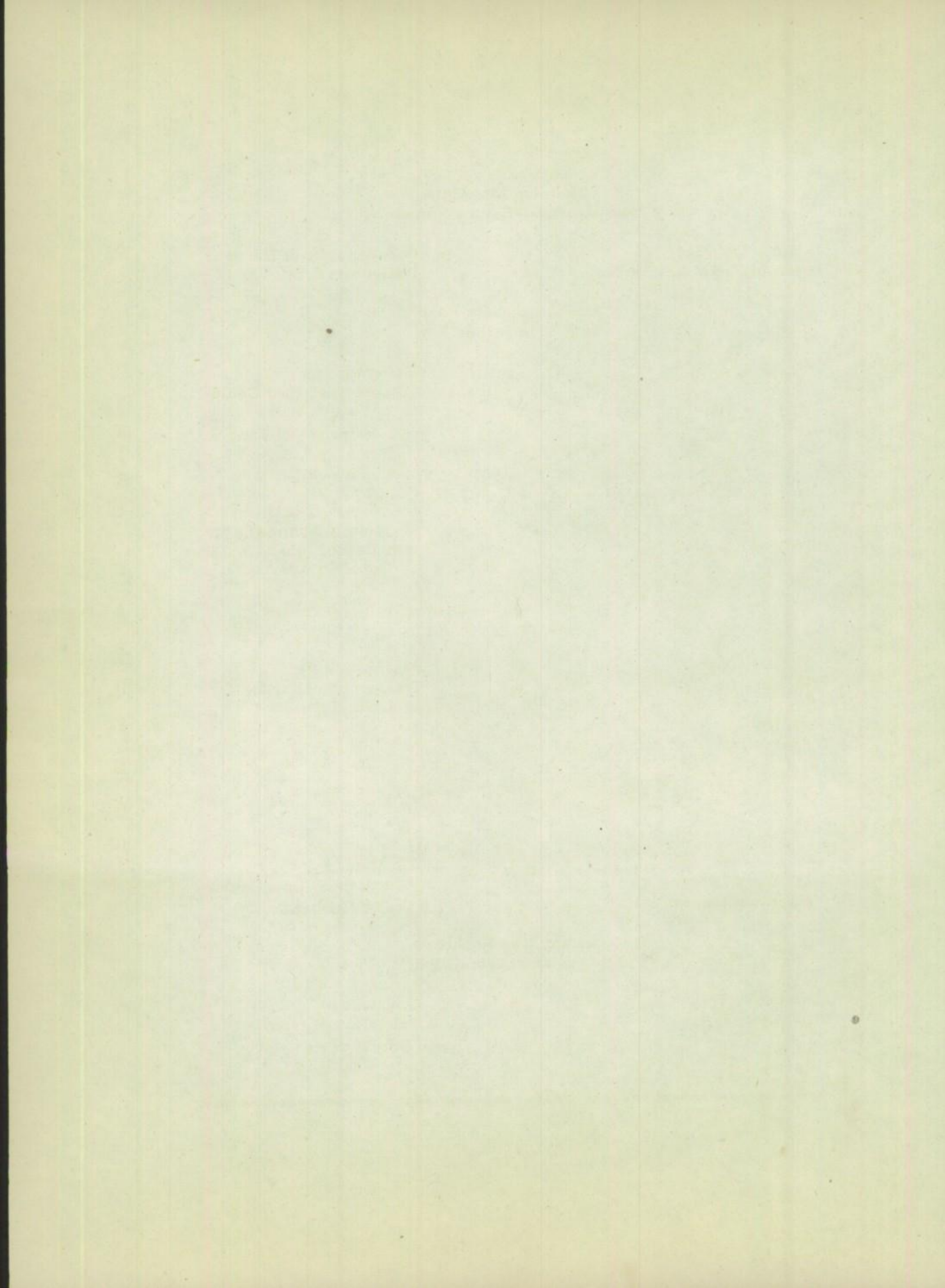
Football: 1, 2;	F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3;	A
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Jack Curtis Fitzgerald
 "For him who knows, there is an excuse for talking."

Basketball: 1, 2;	Student Council: 2, 4;
Baseball: 2, 3, 4;	

Carol Ilene Grubb
 "Life is not so short,
 but that there is always time for courtesy."

G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;	Cardinal: 4;
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Beatrice Mae Hale
 "Sweet and kind-Future Homemaker."

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Pres. of F. H. A.: 3;

G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;
 Reflector: 3;

Mary Elizabeth Hart
 "Soda Jerker"

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 G.A.A.: 2;

Reflector: 3;
 "Professor, How Could
 You!": 4;

Betty Irene Herriford
 "A willing Helper--need her?"

G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;
 F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Chorus: 1, 2;

Reflector: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 "Mountain Mumps": 3;
 "Professor, How Could
 You!": 4;

James Hutchinson Hess
 "Clown of the class."

Pres. of Class: 1;
 Vice-Pres. of Class: 2;
 Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Band: 1, 2;
 Transferred from Media High: 3;

F. F. A.: 3, 4;
 Basketball: 1, 2, 3;
 M-Club: 1, 3;
 Student Council: 1, 2;

Hobart Ross Hinderliter
 "I can and I must be heard."

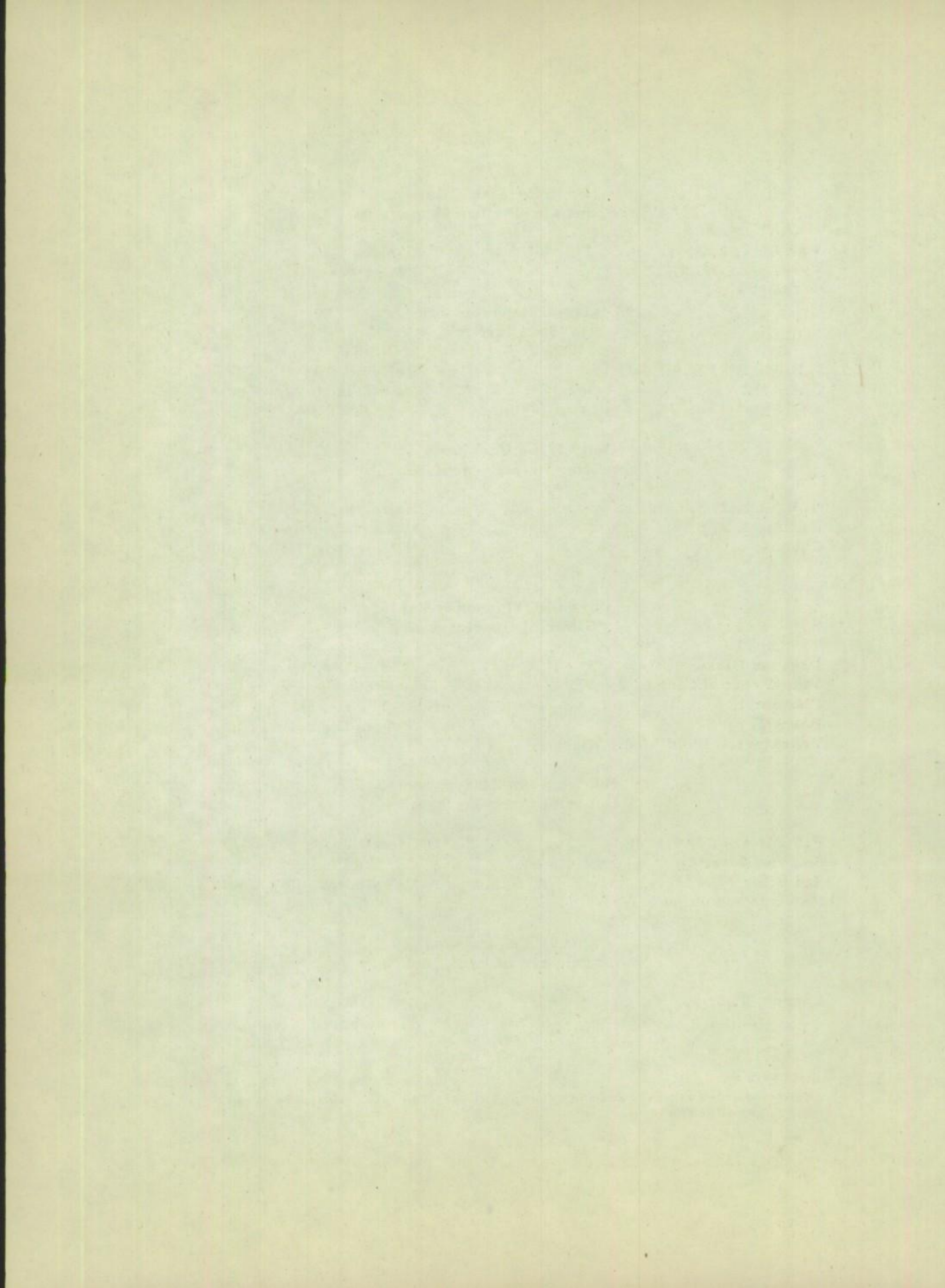
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 Sec. of Class: 1;
 Reflector: 3, 4;
 "Mountain Mumps": 3;

Glee Club: 4;
 Cardinal: 4;
 "Professor, How Could
 You!": 4;

Ruby Lee Hopkins
 "Quiet type and bashful, too."

Chorus: 1, 2;
 F.H.A.: 2, 3, 4;

G.A.A.: 3;
 Transferred from
 Avon: 2;



Thelma Doris Howerter
 "Collector of "Hearts"."

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 G.A.A.: 1, 2;
 Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Operetta: 1, 2;

Reflector: 3, 4;
 Cardinal: 4;
 Pres. of F.H.A.: 3;
 Librarian: 2;

Franc Eugene Krohe
 "You must threrfore love me, myself,
 and not my circumstances if we are to be real friends."

Basketball: 1,2, 3, 4;
 Baseball: 3;

Football: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Vice-Pres. of class: 3;

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Caroline Lanore Massingale
 "Lover of horses and--"

G.A.A.: 2

Wilbur Glenn McClaughry
 "It is not good that a man should be alone."

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Football: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Basketball: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Pres. of Student Council: 4;
 Pres. of Class: 2, 3;
 Transferred from Avon: 1;
 Track: 3, 4;

Treas. of F.F.A.: 3;
 Pres. of F.F.A.: 4;
 Cardinal: 4;
 "Mountain Mumps": 3;
 "Professor, How Could
 You!": 4;

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William Howard McCloskey
 "Talking incessently, thinking occasionally."

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Football: 1, 2, 3, 4;
 Basketball: 1;
 Track: 1;

Vice-Pres. of class: 4;
 Reflector: 4;

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Homer Justin McClouth
 "None would suppose it, but I'm naturally bashful."

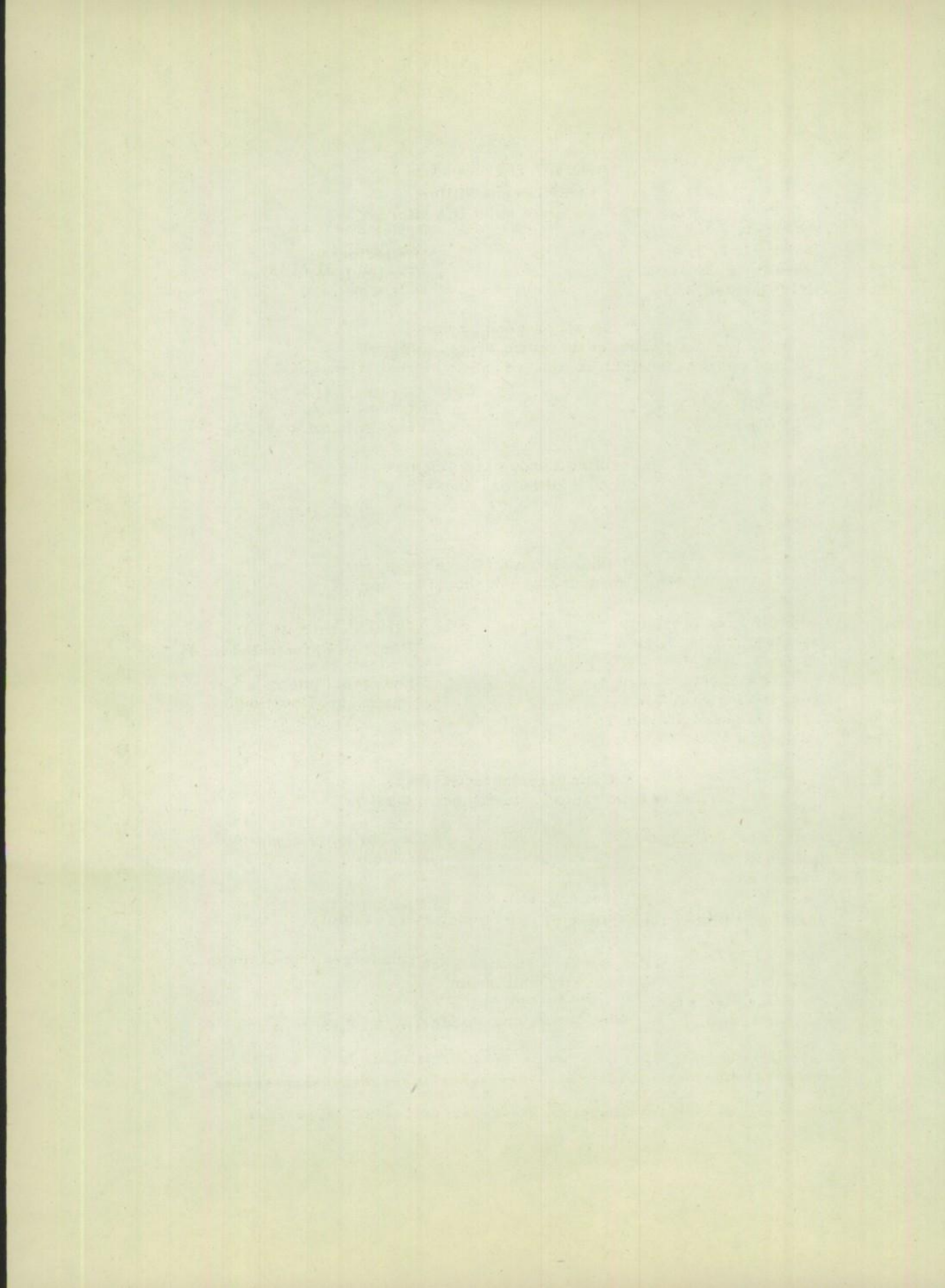
F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3;

Transferred from Canton: 3;

Doris Irene Miller
 "Shy, timid, and blonde."

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3;
 Reflector: 4;

G.A.A.: 2;



Mary Lorena Miller
 "What sweet delight a quiet life affords."

Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Reflector: 4;
Operetta: 1, 2;	Cardinal: 4;
Girls Quartet: 2, 3;	

Dorothy Mosher
 "Look out for the long fingernails."

F.H.A.: 1, 2;	Cardinal: 4;
Reflector: 4;	

James Albert Munson
 "I cannot love-I am too small."

Band: 2, 3, 4;	F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3;
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Jeannine Mae Phelps
 "A bathing beauty."

Chorus: 1, 2;	Paper Staff: 3;
Girls Reserves: 1, 2;	Hall Cadett: 2, 3;
Art Contest: 2;	Transferred from Pekin: 4;

Quenadean Louise Pickett
 "Out of one scrape into another, mischievous."

G.A.A.: 2;

Robert Joshua Powell
 "He lived at peace with all mankind."

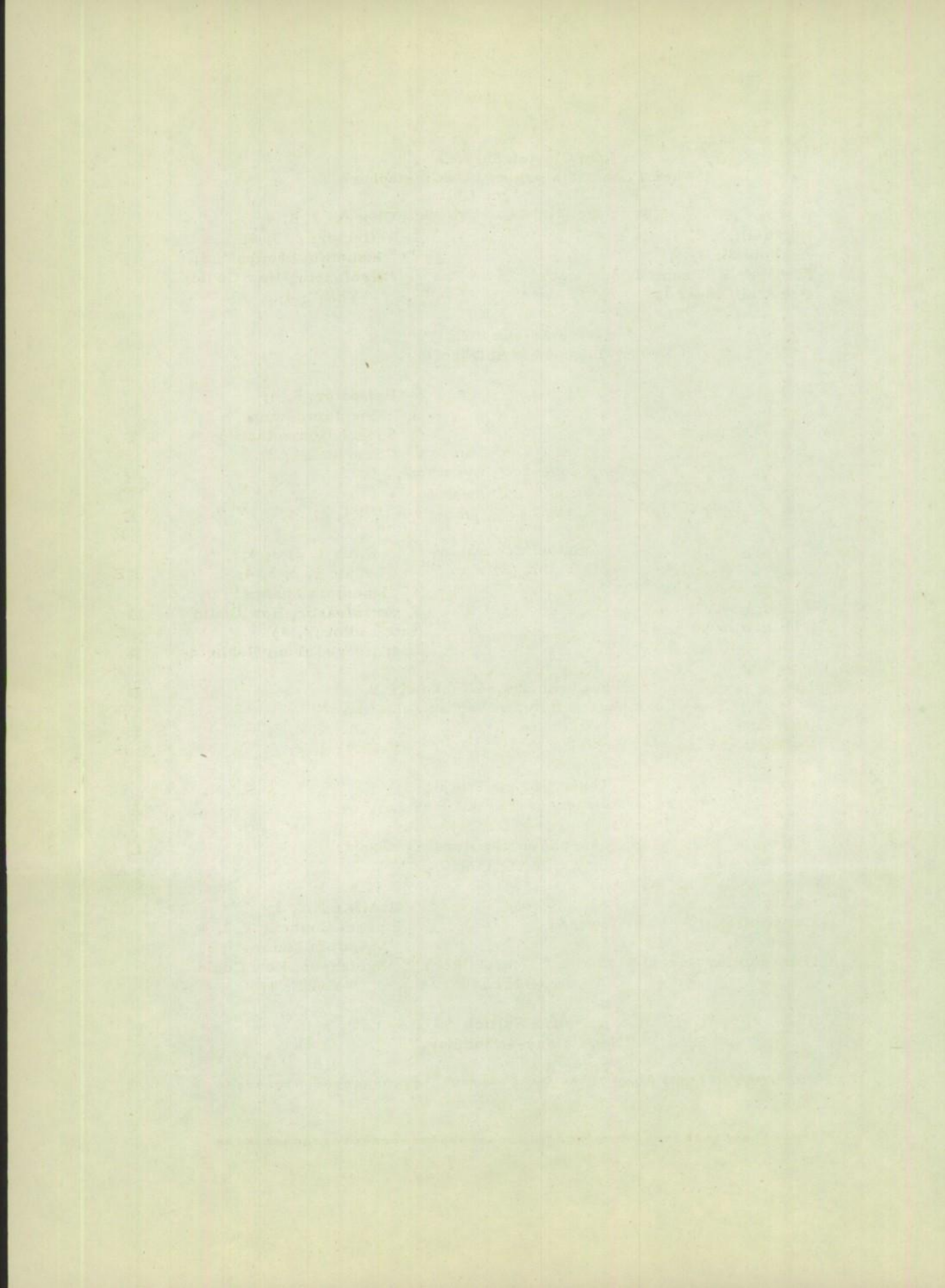
Johnny Webster Rankin
 "The boy with the freckles."

Track: 2;	Football: 4;
Transferred from Lewistown: 1;	

Barbara Pauline Rock
 "Jolly, full of fun."

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;	G.A.A.: 2, 3;
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John Clayton Shryock
 "When I can't talk sense, I talk metaphore."

F.F.A.: 1;	Chorus: 2, 3, 4;
Football: 1, 2, 3, 4;	Reflector: 2, 3, 4;
Basketball: 3, 4;	"Mountain Mumps": 3;
Manager B. Team: 1, 2;	"Professor, How Could
Pres. of Class: 1;	You!": 4;

Joyce Arlene Stell
 "Changeable Spitfire."

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3;	Reflector: 3, 4;
Treas. of F.H.A.: 2;	"Mountain Mumps": 3;
Treas. of Class: 1;	Speech Contestant: 3;
G.A.A.: 2;	Cheerleader: 3;

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William Clyde Sweney
 "He hath a daily beauty in his life."

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Cardinal: 4;	F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
Student Council: 4;	Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;
Reflector: 4;	"Mountain Mumps": 3;
Transferred from Avon: 1;	"Professor, How Could
	You!": 4;

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Homer James Sweney
 "Seldom seen and never heard."

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Chorus: 1, 2, 3, 4;	F.F.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
Transferred from Prairie	F.E.A.: 1, 2;
City: 3;	

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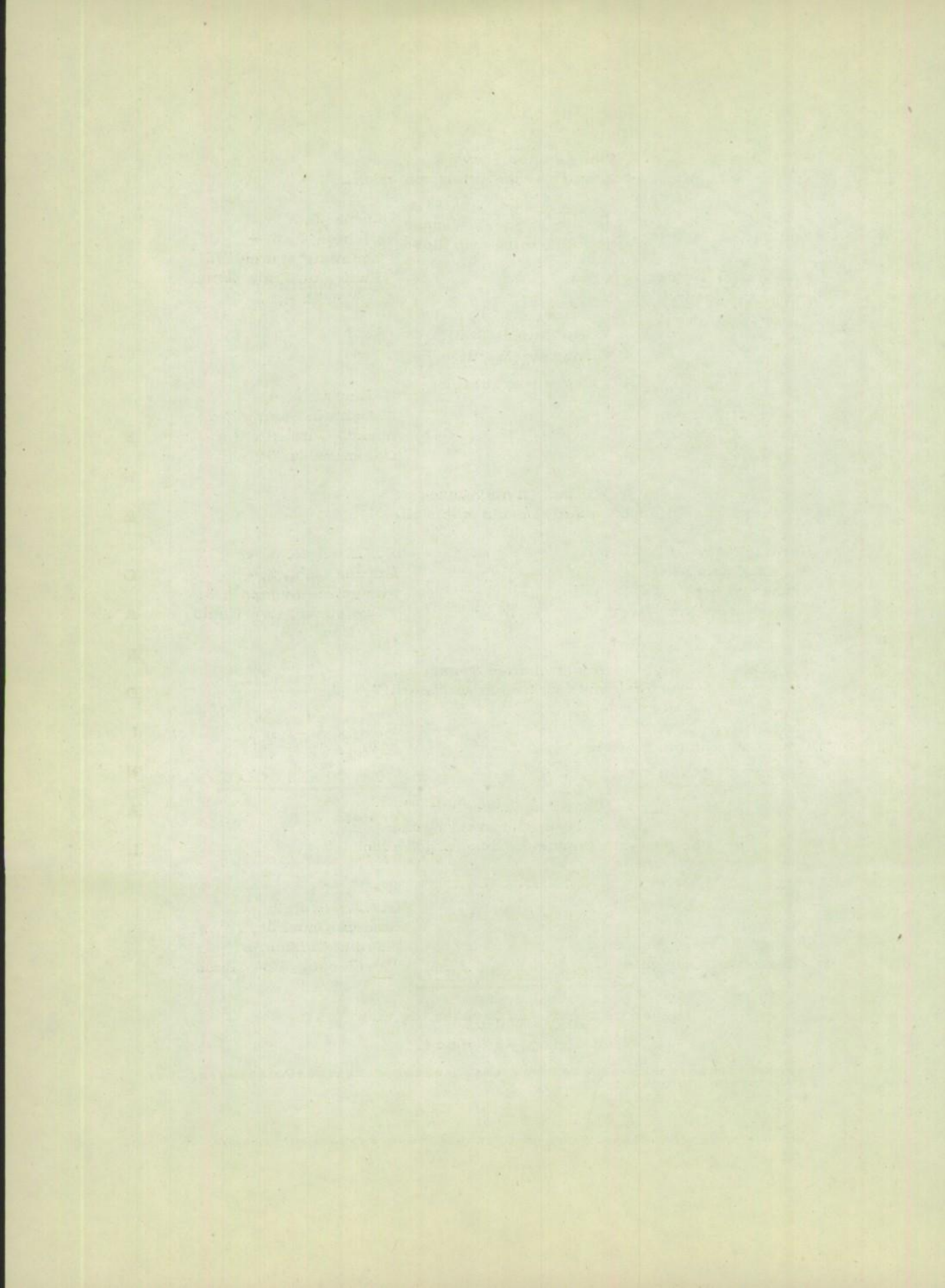
Jane Ann Townslay
 "Gentle, sweet and always good:
 The perfect essence of Charming Girlhood."

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Band: 1, 2, 3, 4;	F.H.A.: 1;
Reflector: 2, 3, 4;	G.A.A.: 1, 2, 3;
Cardinal: 4;	Student Council: 1, 2, 4;
Chorus: 3, 4;	"Mountain Mumps": 3;
Homecoming Queen: 4;	"Professor, How Could
	You!": 4;

Nellie Wallick
 "Not a sissy--a tomboy."

Transferred from Avon: 3;



Marilyn Frances Wenger
"Sweet, charming and adorable."

F.H.A.: 1;
Cardinal: 4;
Sec-Treas. of Class: 4;

Student Council: 3;
Librarian: 3;

Betty Jane Whitman
"Keeps you guessing."

Cardinal: 4;
Reflector: 3;
Glee Club: 2;

F.H.A.: 1, 2, 3, 4;
G.A.A.: 2;

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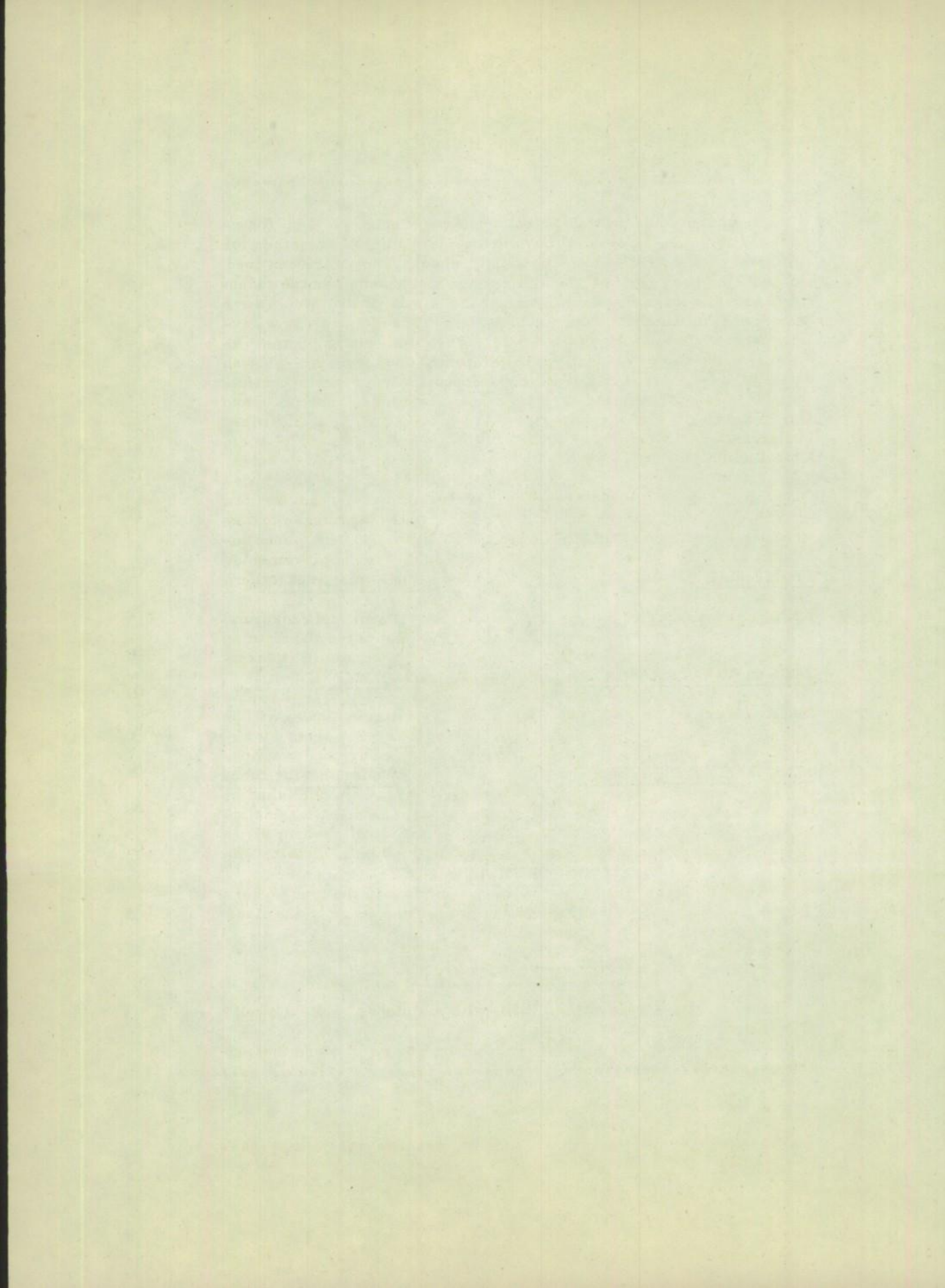
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SENIOR FLOWER

White Carnation

SENIOR CLASS MOTTO

"Higher we climb, the broader the view."



SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

Upon September the second, nineteen hundred and forty-three, fifty-nine individual boys and girls gathered together for the first time as a class of Cuba High School. They were destined to cause a great deal of excitement and start some very new ideas in the history of our school. During the first year, we were cocky and defiant, and, like most freshmen, thought we knew everything worth knowing in the world. When mid-winter came around, most of us were willing to admit that not everything was learned in grade school. During our inaugural year, we participated in school activities such as dances, hayrides, parties and so forth; but it wasn't until later that we took and held the lead in these departments. Some of our members participated in sports and musical activities; but our fame was destined to come later.

In our second academic year, our class took a sharp decrease in enrollment as members quit, moved away, and a few joined the armed forces. During this year, our class began to take upon itself some of the polish of high school. Our members began to stand out in the fields of music and athletic achievements. Six of our members achieved football letters this year, and others played part-time.

In our Junior year, we really came into our own. We sponsored the Junior-Senior Prom, a St. Patrick's Day dance, a Christmas dance, and the Junior play. Our class was represented in basketball, football, track, literary, and musical events.

Now we are Seniors--quiet, reserved, dignified? Not us; for we're noisy, full of pep, and always into something. Maybe not the highest type of Senior--but we were not created as a class for seriousness, and our type is more for the mischievous undertaking. Our class, during the Senior year, started something that the other classes before us have not done for many years. We published an annual, the first in Cuba in sixteen years; and through the insistence and effort of our members, the Student Council sponsored a Homecoming. We participated in basketball, football, music, literary work, and our Senior Class play.

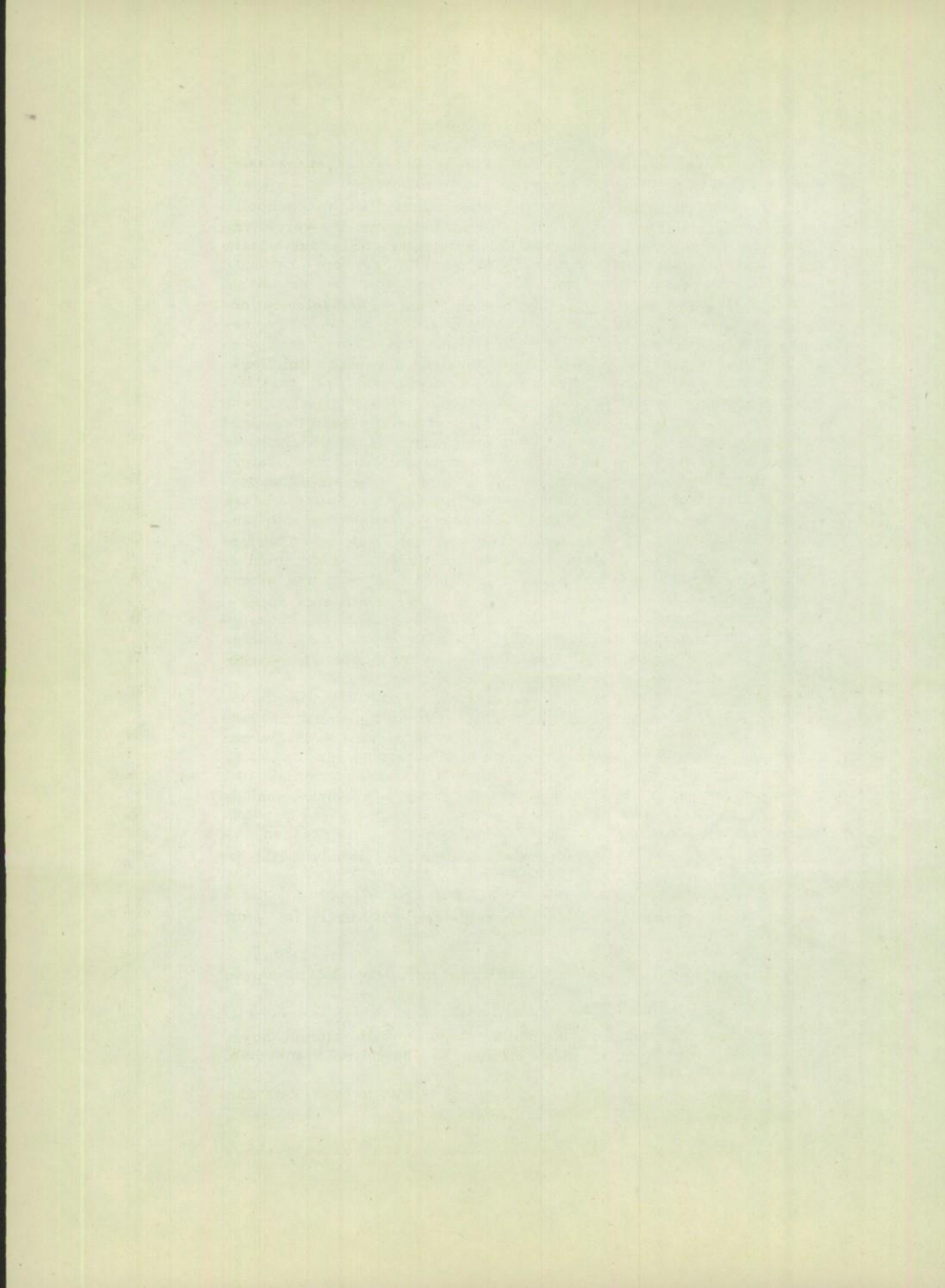
This is the history of our accomplishments in the four years of our study in this school. We leave it as a challenge to the classes following us.

Mr. Biggs: (In English) "Bill, will you please wake Lowell? He seems to have fallen asleep."

Bill: "Wake him yourself, Professor, you're the one that put him to sleep."

A word to the wise is useless.

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CLASS WILL OF "47"

We, the graduating class of Cuba Community High School, being of unsound mind, weak heart, and being on the verge of departing for realms unknown, do hereby declare this our last will and testament.

I, Margaret Amsler, bequeath Don Price to absolutely no one.

I, Harold Ault, bequeath my masculine form to Bob Herriford.

I, Donna Bell, bequeath my ability to get any man I want to Joan Noble.

I, Clara Black, bequeath my good figure, pretty blue eyes, and charming personality to Joan Steck.

I, Lowell Bryan, bequeath my atomic strength to Charles Thum.

I, Alice Ann Churchill, bequeath my strong will and superior determination to Eunice Clayberg.

I, Vera Mae Clayberg, bequeath my ability to get along with the boys to Katherine Strode.

I, Lawrence Edward Clifford, bequeath my ingenuity to get along with teachers and girls, especially blondes, and to always get in the opposing man's road in athletics to Jack Evans.

I, Duane Conine, bequeath my ability to cause commotion in English class to Ralph Schleich, who is as quiet as a mouse.

I, Eugene Davis, bequeath my black hair and manly build to Allen Sheets.

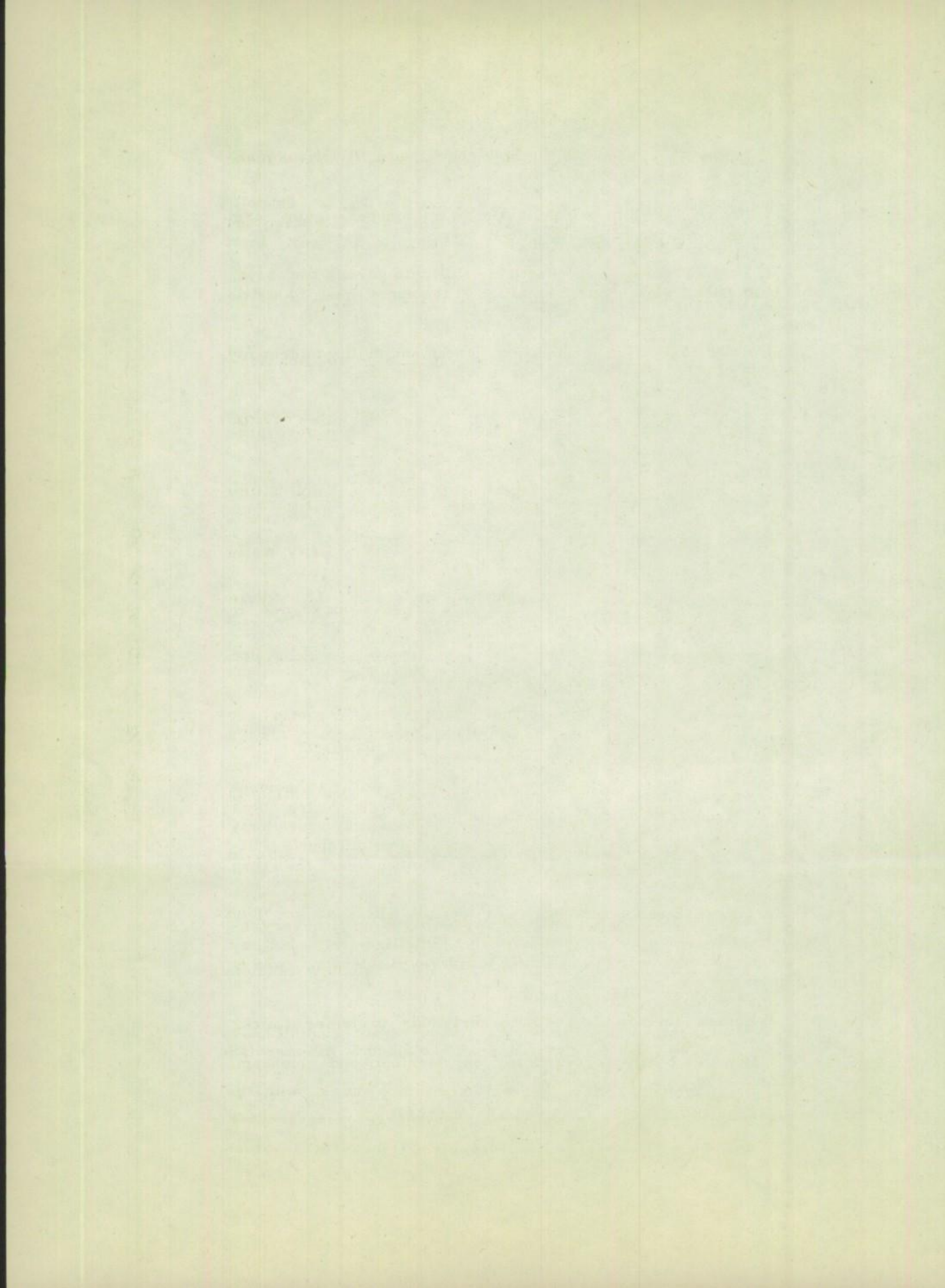
I, Jack Fitzgerald, bequeath my talents of baseball to John Shaw.

I, Mae Hale, bequeath my ability to keep Harold Whitman to Betty Graham.

I, Mary Hart, bequeath my ability to go with alumni boys, which I acquired from my sister Louise, to Charlotte Zimmerman.

I, Betty Irene Herriford, bequeath my ability to get with the wrong boy on my double dates to LaVeta Owens.

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I, James Hess, bequeath my rosy cheeks, and flirtatious manners with all girls, to Bruce Sweney.

I, Hobart Ross Hinderliter, bequeath my forever-waving arm and unlimited power to talk to Kile Brooks.

I, Thelma Howerter, bequeath my ability to go with two boys, but keep Dick Knickerbocker staisfied at the same time, to Mattie Wallick.

I, Ruby Hopkins, bequeath my quietness and ability to keep my nose out of other peoples business to Joan Robinson.

I, Franc Krohe, do hereby bequeath to my honorable successor James Sosey my athletic ability, and Vera Clayberg to anyone in the Junior Class who thinks they can get her.

I, Caroline Massingale, bequeath my quiet way and my ability to hold two guys without half trying to Shirley Cooper.

I, Doris Miller, bequeath my quiet femine ways to Betty Wall- ick who could use them.

I, Lorena Miller, bequeath my ability to get good grades to Leon Formhals, who needs them.

I, Dorothy Mae Mosher, bequeath my charming smile and pretty white teeth to Fannie Beth Gilmore.

I, James Munson, bequeath my ability to sleep in English class, instead of reading comic books to Richard Spangler.

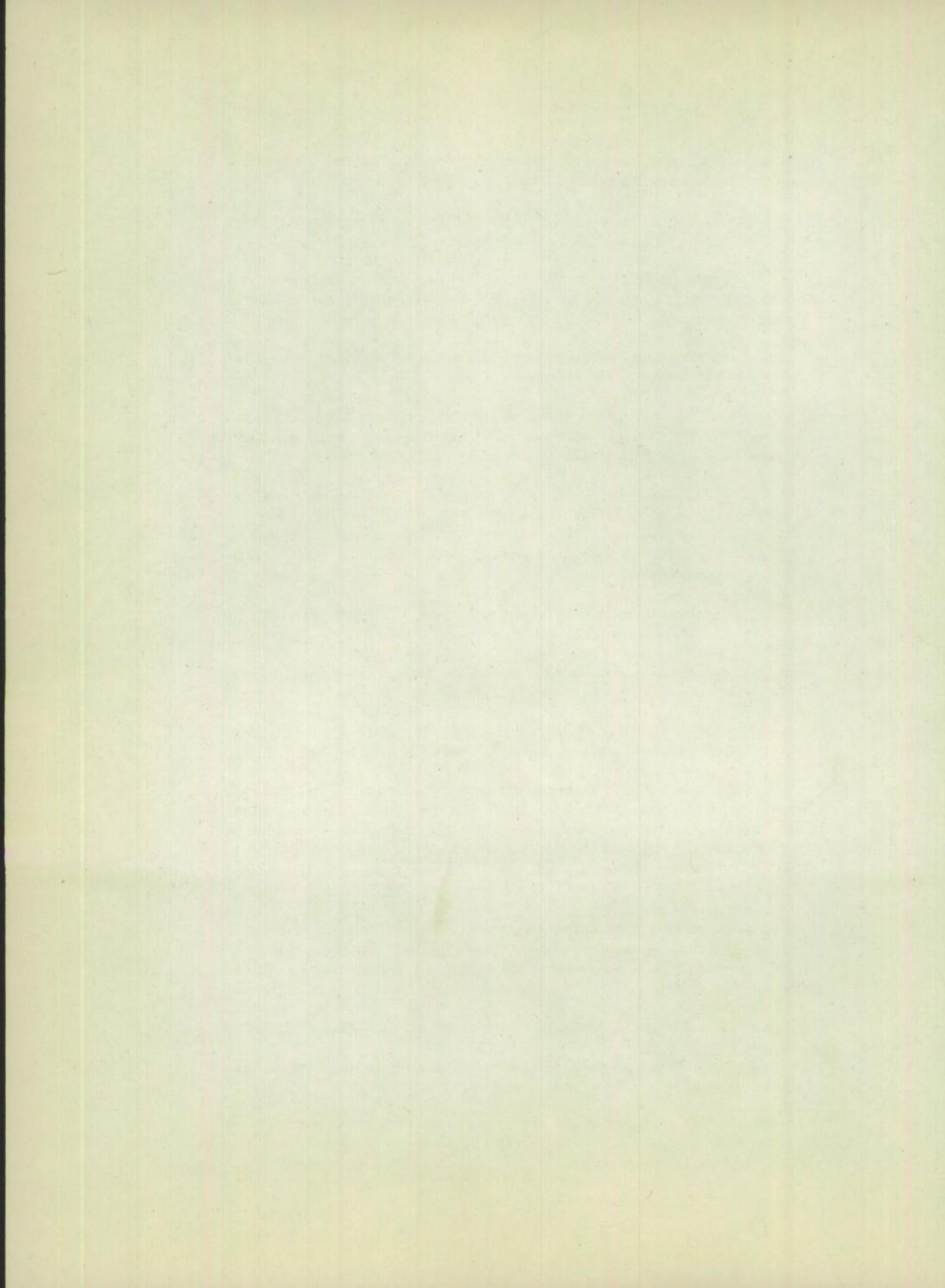
I, Wilbur McClaughry, bequeath my athletic ability to George Melvin, as Cuba's football team may need something extra next year to break this year's record. To Bob Stevenson I bequeath my talent for acting "Macbeth" in English class, and to Robert Pittman my talent for always having something to say--even the wrong thing.

I, William McCloskey, bequeath my ability of writing very inspiring letters, my ability to talk freely, intelligently, and my great personality and winning smile to Harvey Henderson, who is so quiet and shy.

I, Homer McLouth, bequeath my curly hair to James Quick.

I, Jeannine Phelps, bequeath my long dark hair and pleasant personality to Joyce Stevenson.

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I, Quenadeen Pickett, bequeath my ability to get away with chewing gum in English class to Mary Haggerty.

I, Joshua Powell, bequeath my quiet ways to Ronald Rock.

I, Johnny Rankin, bequeath my middle name Webster to Junior Bishop.

I, Barbara Pauline Rock, bequeath my ability to keep Lowell Bryan asking me for dates every week-end to Donna Rock, who ought to make him a very lovable companion.

I, John Shryock, bequeath my way with the girls to Junior Sharpe.

I, Joyce Stell, bequeath my noon hour seat with George Melvin to Joan Jaynes, who might enjoy it.

I, William Sweney, bequeath my ability to get along with the Freshmen cheerleaders, the ability to wear four or five different girls' rings, and not keep my class ring, to Tom Leigh.

I, James Sweney, bequeath my affections for Mattie Wallick to Clifford Bump, if she will have him.

I, Jane Ann Townslay, bequeath Bob Harrison to Pat Smith to take care of until he is out of school.

I, Nellie Wallick, bequeath my back seat in Mr. Bigg's English class to Max Foster if he can behave long enough to keep it.

I, Marilyn Wenger, bequeath my fond affections for the Shorthand teacher, Miss Nessel, and my forever changing mind, to Shirlee Harper.

I, Betty Whitman, bequeath my many suitors to Eleanor Allen.

Howard: Say, Hank, you had better go in and rest your weary bones, you have been hunting all day and I will clean the game. How old are you, anyway?

Hank: Oh!, I am going on 108 but I'll send dad out to help you clean the game.

Howard: What! do you mean to tell me that your dad is still living?

Hank: Why, shore. And I can prove it too! he's in the house right now playing checkers with my grandpop.

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SOCIETY NEWS

TO APPEAR AT METROPOLITAN

Mrs. Franc Krohe, formerly the Miss Vera Clayberg of Cuba, Illinois (that is!), will appear in the opera "CARMEN," with performances beginning Monday evening at 8:30. Mrs. Krohe and her husband recently returned from a pleasure tour of Europe.

TAKES WELL EARNED REST

Larry Clifford is taking a well earned rest at the St. Francis Hospital in Peoria. He is under care of Alice Ann Churchill and Betty Whitman, both graduated nurses. He and his blonde wife have been touring the country, frantically trying to dream up new ideas for their chief client, "Smelly Soap."

PLAYS AT MOROCCO

The lovely Jane Townsley was accompanied to the Morocco Club the other evening by her fiance Bob Harrison, the famous producer of the television version of "FOREVER AMBER." Janie is touring the country as a saxophone soloist. She is considering organizing her own orchestra.

WOULD YOU BELIEVE IT?

Dorothy M. Mosher has just been elected President of the Canton Daily Ledger's Newspapers Peddlers Union. She is happily engaged to two of her five suitors. Here's a fine example of opportunity in America. Twenty years ago she had her first paper route.

CLOSES SHOP

Miss Clara Black, owner of the famous Hollywood Beauty Saloon, for unknown reasons has gone bankrupt, and is turning the shop over to creditor Admiral Vin Chaffee.

AT PHILADELPHIA

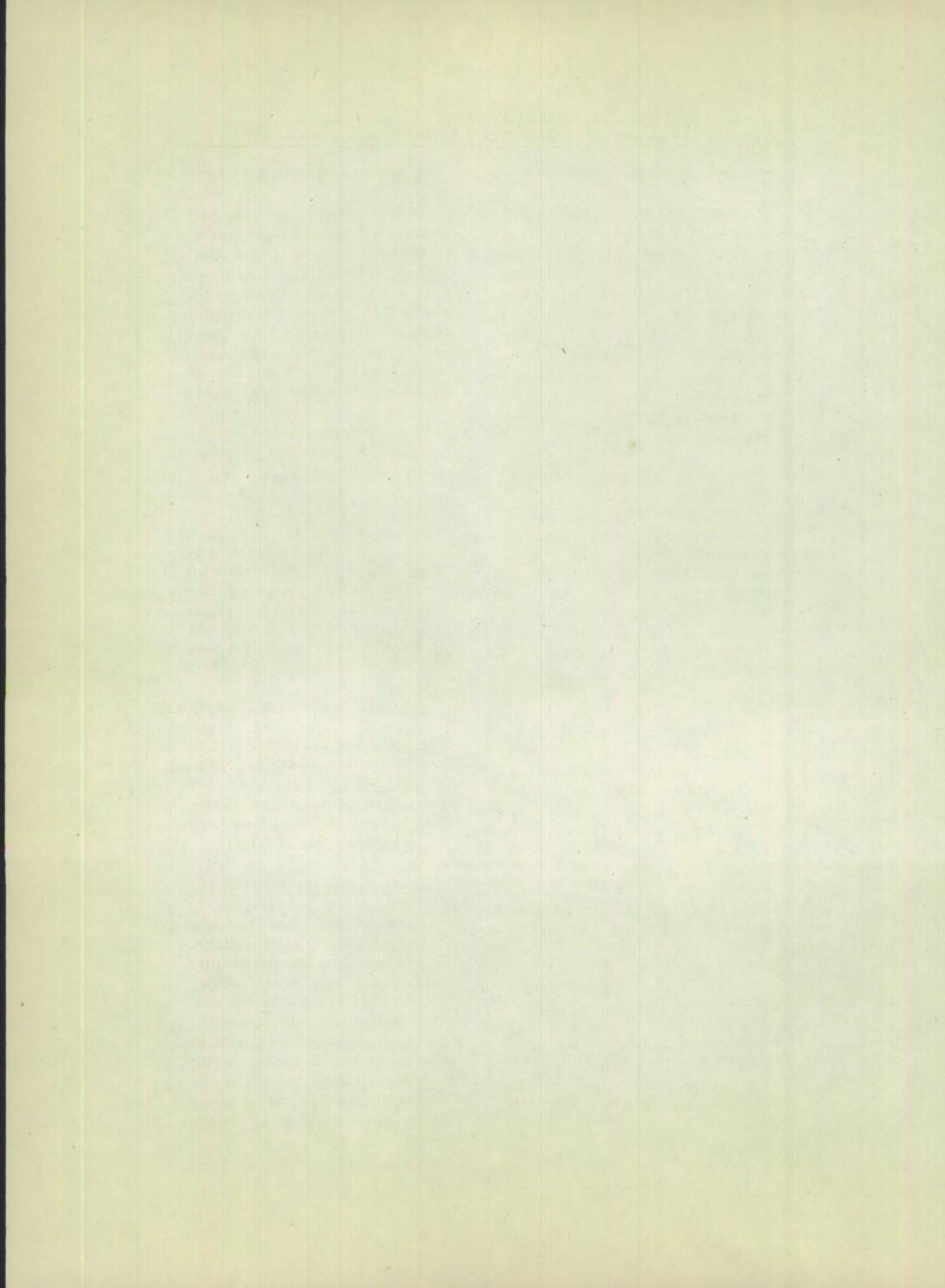
Mr. Marvin and his hundred and twenty piece symphonic orchestra will be heard at Philadelphia's Concert Hall the first of July. His orchestra is rated by concert goers as the best since Stokowski. Mrs. Marvin shall appear as guest pianist, and shall play Mr. Marvin's sixth piano concerto in F# minor.

PRODUCES PLAY

It has been announced that the noted play producer, Fred Ervin Biggs and his wife, the former Catherine Condit of Laramie, Wyoming, are working on the production of their 51st play. This, like all of their other productions, is expected to be a big hit. The play will consist of the following eight characters: True Biggs, Catherine Biggs, Bruce Biggs, Leslie Biggs, Lorena Biggs, Amelia Biggs, Chere Biggs, and Fred Ervin, Jr.

TO PUBLISH BOOK

Miss Joyce Stell, who has recently published several well received books, has announced that her latest book, "LIFE IN LONDON," will soon be released. It tells about her career and social life while she was acting on the stage in London.



QUEEN OF POTATO CROP

Miss Carol Grubb was elected Queen of the Potato Crop last year at St. Louis and is to be guest of honor at the Columbia Hotel next Friday evening. The speaker of the evening will be James Munson, of Fairview, Illinois. His subject will have something to do with the importance of the potato!

WILL GO TO WASHINGTON

Wilbur McClaughry, President of the Farm Bureau and Rural Youth Organizations in Illinois, is to represent his home state at a nation-wide meeting in Washington, where representatives from all over the world will meet to discuss present day agricultural problems. Secretary of Agriculture Harold Ault will preside over the meeting.

SPORTS

LEWIS LOSES CHAMPIONSHIP

Millions of people crowded into the Yankee Stadium last nite to see husky Joshua Powell defeat Joe Lewis, holder of the heavy-weight title for thirty years, in the second round, after taking a terrific beating during the first round. Long may he stand!

TO TEACH SWIMMING

The ex-Jeannine Phelps is again going to teach swimming at the Los Angeles Swimming Club this summer. She is happily married to Orville Sauders, formerly of Pekin. The two young sons, George and Lewis, are now local swimming champs.

CARDINALS TAKE STATE

Mr. Gilbert Veach has just produced a state championship basketball team at Cuba High School. The Cuba Cardinals went to Champaign last week, where they played Farmington in an exciting game. We were tied at the half, but the Cuba team won by a margin of thirteen points, the final score being 48 to 35. Coach Veach's two sons were guards on the team, we might add. Congratulations, Mr. Veach!

RETURNS HOME

Jack Shryock has just returned to his St. Louis home for a while, after spending four months at his winter resort in Florida. He is to resume his job of coaching the St. Louis Cardinals.

TO PLAY WITH NEW YORK YANKEES

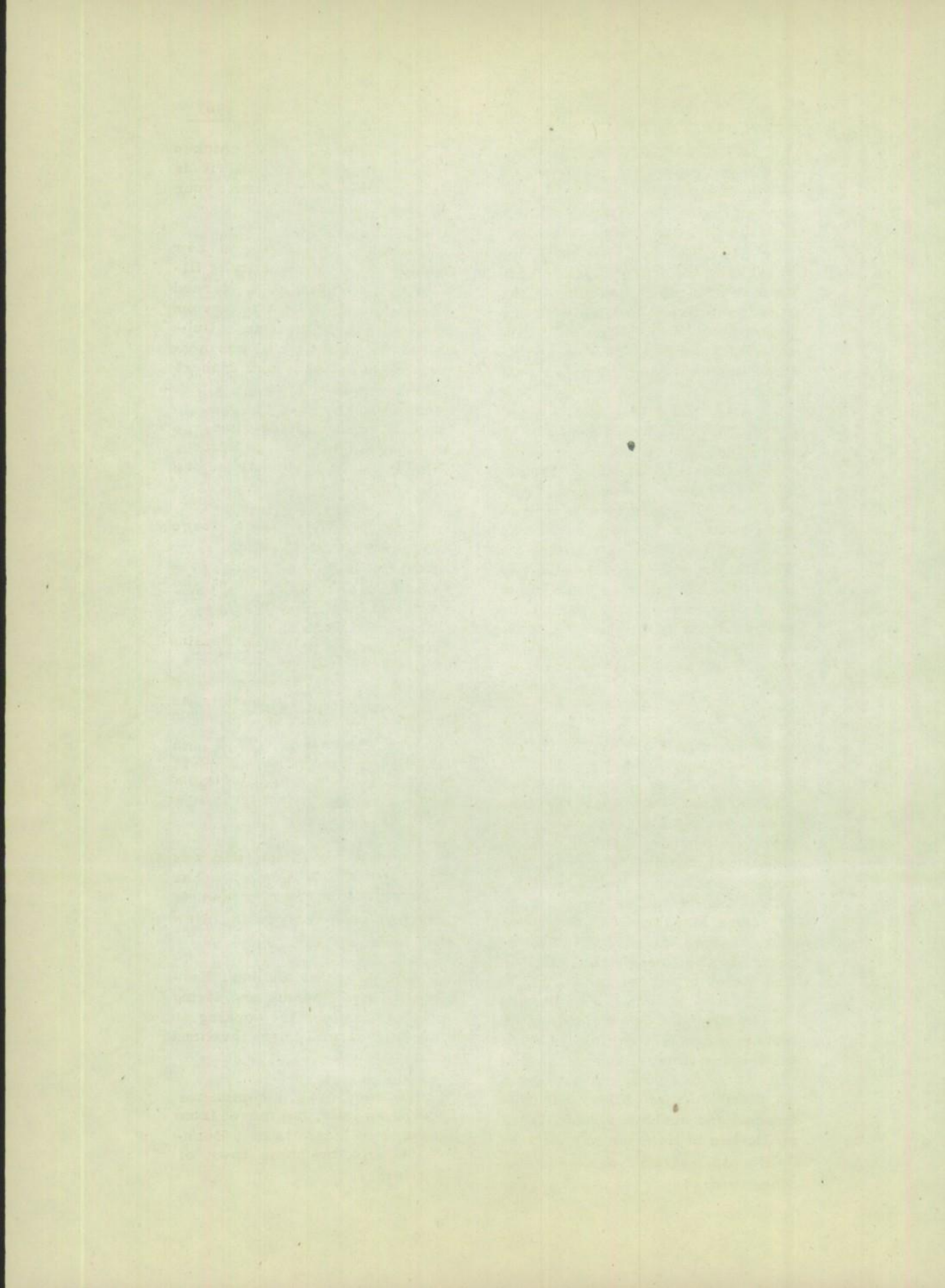
Jack Fitzgerald, like Lou Gehrig, his ideal of many years ago, is playing first base for the N. Y. Yankees, beginning this season. At least one person lives up to his ideal.

AROUND THE WORLD

Mary Hart has become manager of Smith's Drug Store. She has attained the position by twenty years of diligent work.

Miss Gloria Barbre is now living in Urbana, in order to be near Champaign.-- Could it be because her interest still is in Champaign?

Johnny Rankin is a cow-puncher on a ranch in South Dakota.



Homer McLouth is working as a clown for the Barnum and Bailey Circus. He was formerly a man (?) on the flying trapeze with the Ringling Bros.

Thelma Howerter is operating a beauty shop in Denver, Colorado. What would Dick Knickerbocker be doing down in Colorado? We hear she just gave him a finger wave.

Marilyn Wenger is a news commentator "down South American way," and has been keeping company with Lt. Red Evans of the U. S. Army. What is a better way to practice the "Good Neighbor Policy?"

Lorena Miller is teaching Algebra at Cuba High School, in Cuba, Illinois. Everyone was sorry to see Miss Tapper lose her job; but at the time she is working on her new invention of a special kind of "ometry," which teaches you how to find x, y, and z, when you know nothing. This invention should change the lives of many young scholars.

Caroline Massingale is now working in the Ledger office at Canton, Illinois. In recent years she has acquired three more diamonds. Fickle!

Miss Margaret Amsler has just accepted the position of Secretary to the President of the United States of America.

Mr. Harold Crews has quit teaching, and is studying law in his leisure time.

The former Miss Virginia Pennell and husband retired from public life to live on a ranch in California, raising oranges and other things!

Jim Sweney is on a chicken farm in the Olympics, and it is just about to hatch. Form your own conclusions!

Hobart Hinderliter is now teaching at the University of Illinois. Fine student he turned out to be. Seems like everyone else that graduated from Cuba High School back in '47 has made a name for himself, and Hobart is a "teacher!"

Miss Helen Melvin, once a C. H. S. teacher, now practices, instead of teaches, housekeeping at Chicago, Ill.

Lowell Bryon owns a large cattle ranch in Oklahoma.

Nellie Wallick works at the bar in the Bushnell Hub.

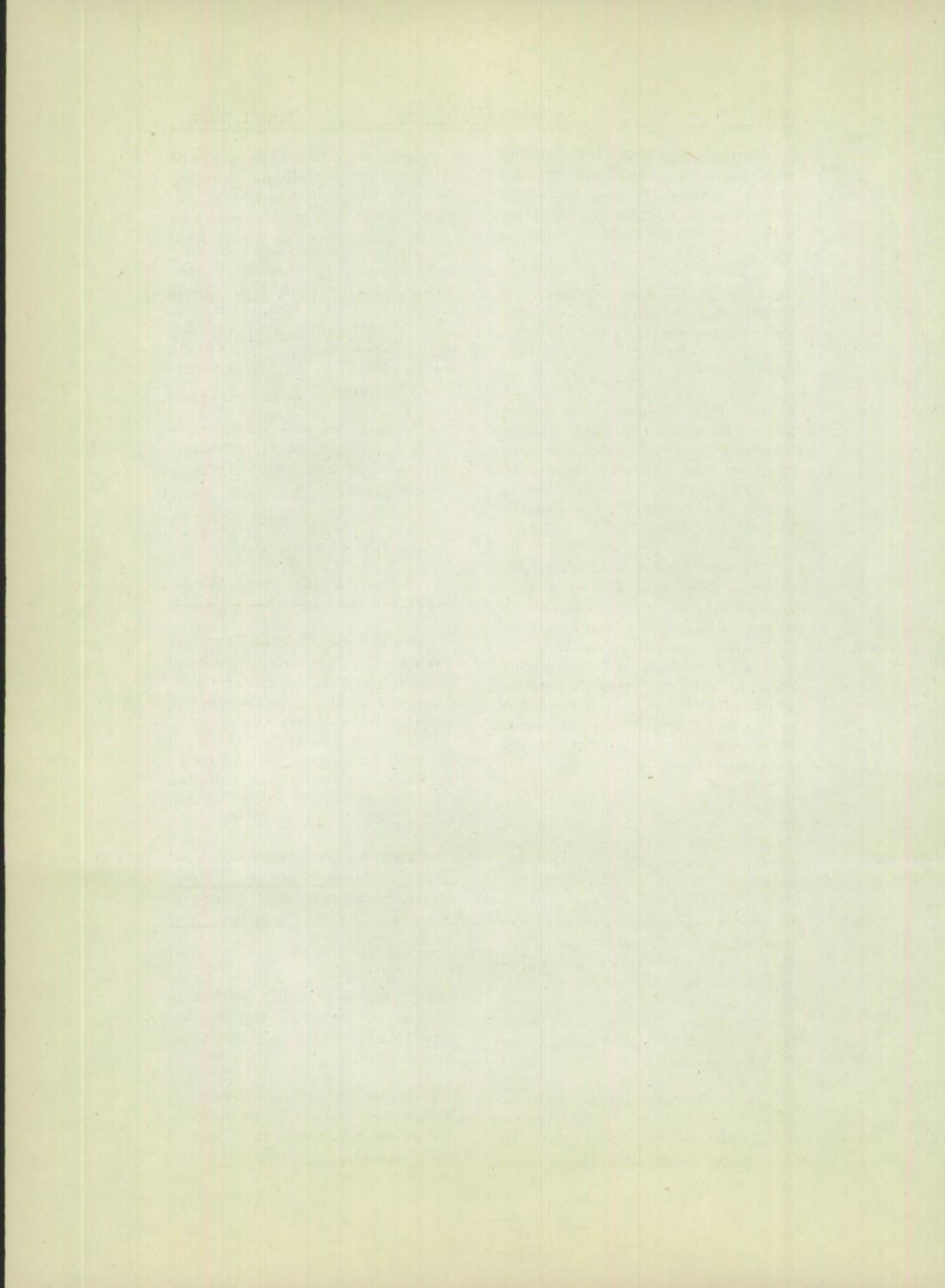
Both Donna Bell and Pauline Rock are in Davenport, Iowa, working in the Shaeffer Pen Company. They have become the highest paid executives.

Bill McCloskey is bouncer at the Hub in Peoria, Illinois, and is married to Lela Fidler, singer at the Club.

Mrs. Larry Elliot, who was Miss Marianna Theobald, has retired from teaching, and is living with her husband in New York City.

Ruby Hopkins and her husband, George Noonan, are living in Chicago. Ruby is working at a restaurant while her husband writes poetry.

Eugene Davis, a contractor in building jails, has moved from his home in Marietta to Bushnell, Illinois, the home town of his wife.



Miss Bette Herriford now is teaching at the Little Red School House. There are thirteen students enrolled. This is the first year the school has been opened since 1943.

Miss Quenadeen Pickett is a hat check girl in a nationally known night club in Peoria, Illinois.

Bill Sweney runs and operates an airline from the industrial city of Checkrow to the moon. That is quite an occupation!

Miss Juanita Cantwell is appearing as a guest on the Charlie McCarthy show Sunday.

Mae Hale is now manager of Glen's Eatery. Anyone wanting to apply for her job may do so; but it is doubtful that anyone can get it, since Mae has a pull with the owner.

AT CUBA COMMUNITY HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. Queen still holds the fort at the Ag Building.

Miss Nessel is now a walking shorthand dictionary.

Mr. Stutsman is still the faithful superintendant. He has just completed his 24th year here, so we suppose he came to stay a while. How about it, Mr. Stutsman?

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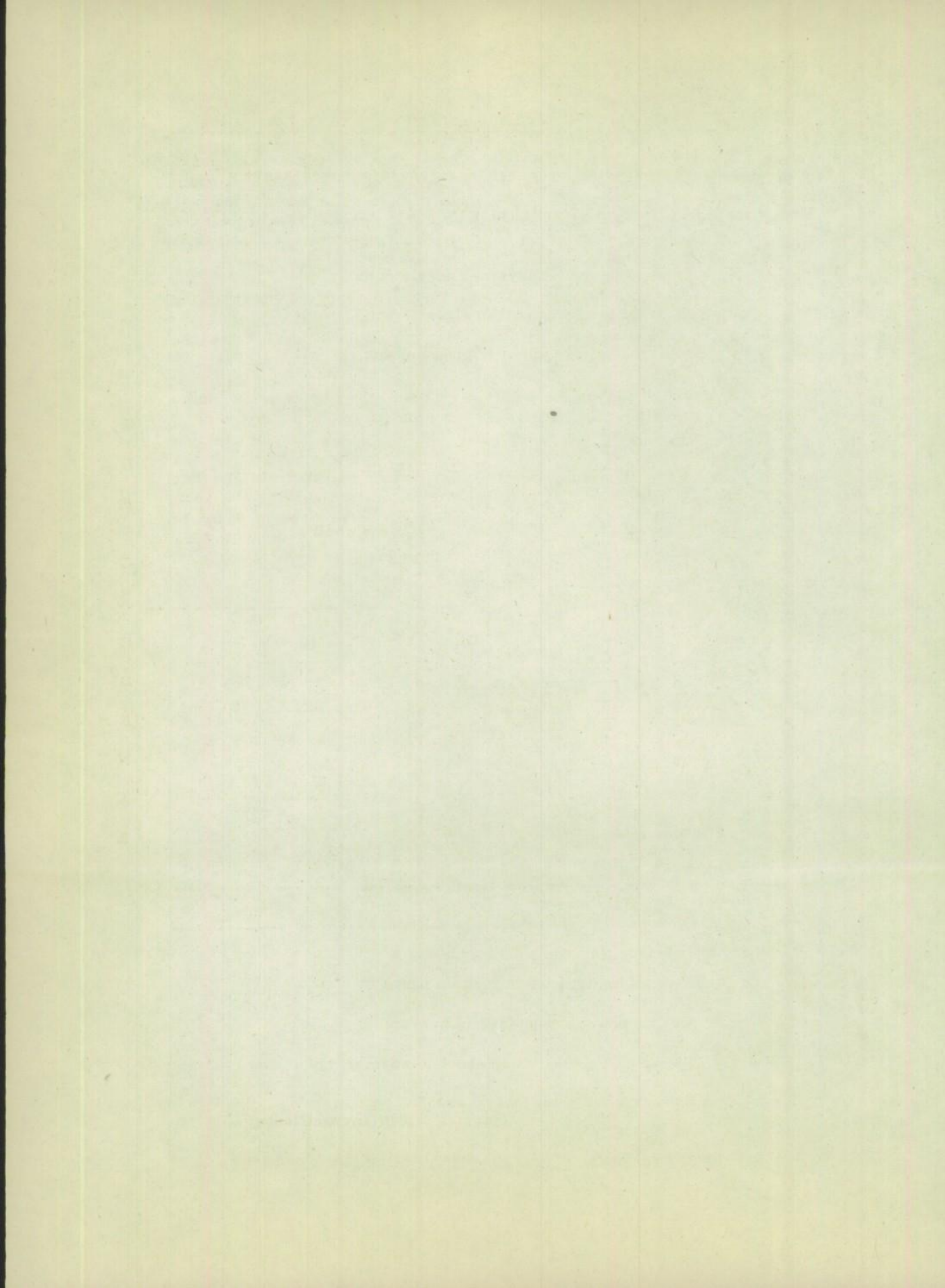
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SENIOR CLASS POEM

"MEMORIES"

Our high school days are nearly done

Of this we're often glad;

But when we think of friends and fun,

It sometimes makes us sad.

For four long years, we've climbed the stairs

And walked along the halls;

We've left our names on some of the chairs

And probably on the walls.

As Freshmen, we were very sure

We knew most everything,

The teachers, they could scarce endure

The jokes and pranks we'd spring.

Our senior year is here at last,

We have acquired a lot of knowledge.

We know that loafing time has passes

We'll have to work in college.

We're on our way to make a name

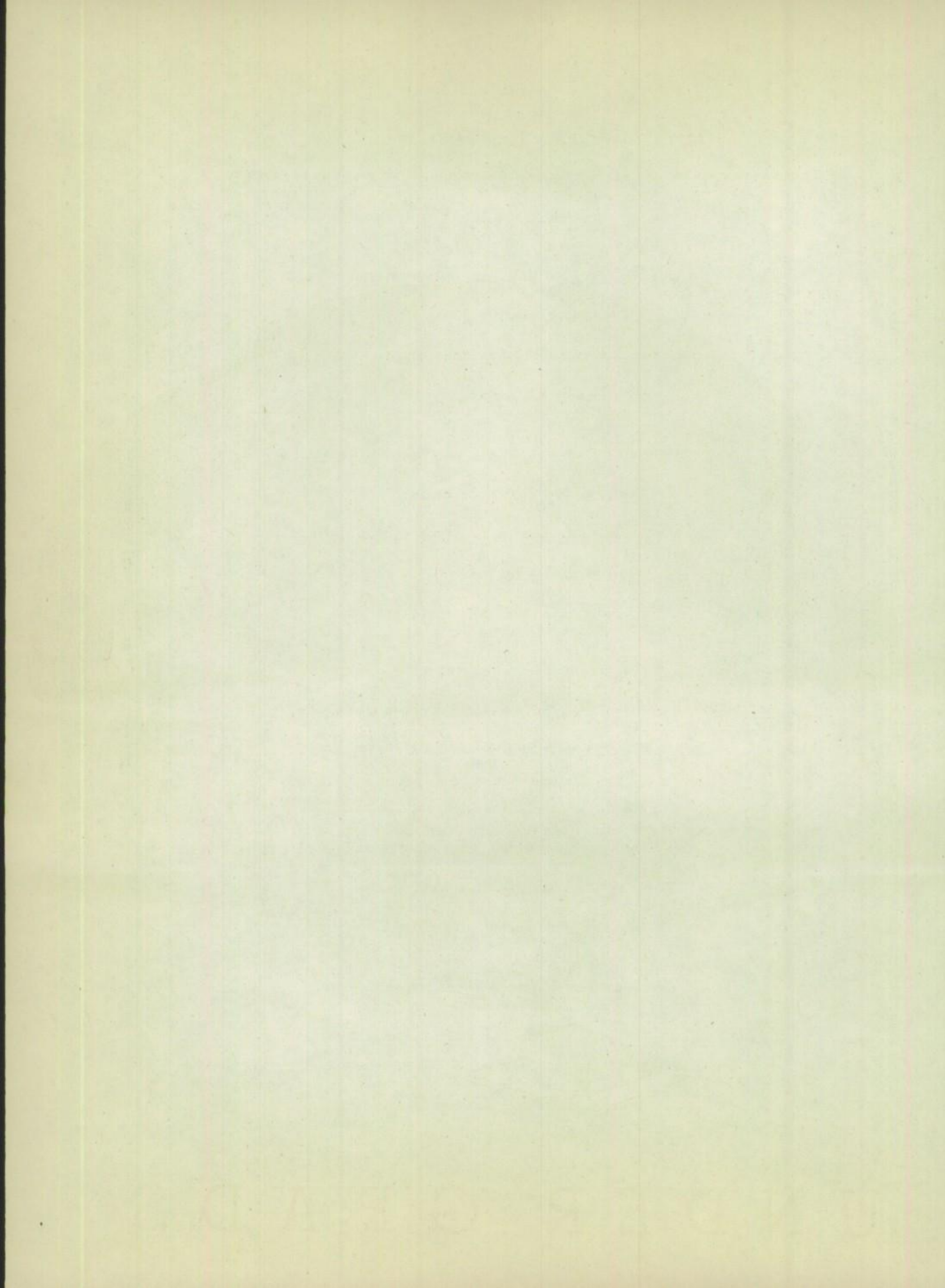
That can be placed in heaven;

That will not put our school to shame,

The class of forty-seven.

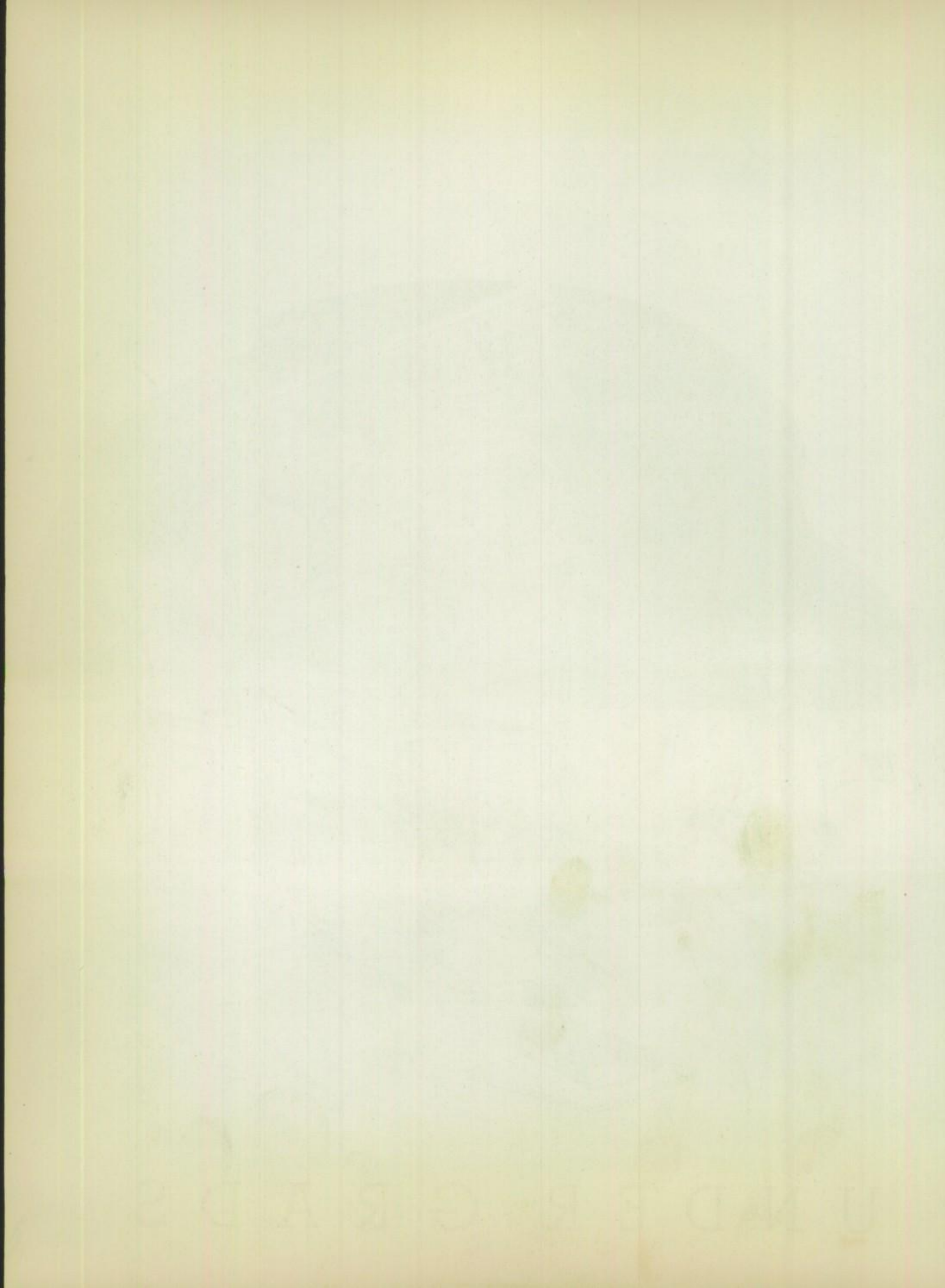
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JUNIOR CLASS 1st half

First row - Max Foster, Tom Leigh, Harvey Henderson, Kile Brooks, Robert Buchen, Clifford Bump, Leon Formhals, and Donald Irwin.

Second row - Miss Marianna Theobald, Advisor, Eunice Clayberg, Jack Evans, Donald Haggerty, Bob Harrison, Bob Herriford, Junior Bishop, and Betty Graham.

Third row - Lela Fidler, Fanny Gilmore, Eleanor Allen, Shirlee Harper, Shirley Cooper, Joan Jayne, Mary Haggerty, and Janet Freeman.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

On December 18, 1946, the Junior class sponsored an all school party, which was held in the gymnasium. Jack Callahan's Orchestra from Canton played sweet and melodious music from 8 until 11. A huge Christmas tree decorated with tinsel, angel hair, and lights was the center attraction.

During the intermission a short program was announced by James Sosey. The numbers included "The Things We Did Last Summer" and "That Christmas Feeling" by Vera Clayberg, Donna Rock read "Twas Christmas Day" which was followed by "Winter Wonderland" and "That Christmas Song" sung by Rosalie Black. A reading "The Angels and the Shepherds" by Mr. Fred Ervin Biggs completed the program. Santa Claus appeared and distributed the gifts which were brought for exchange.

Several different types of dances were used. At the close of the evening refreshments of ice cream and cake were served from a candle-light table to one hundred and twenty guests.

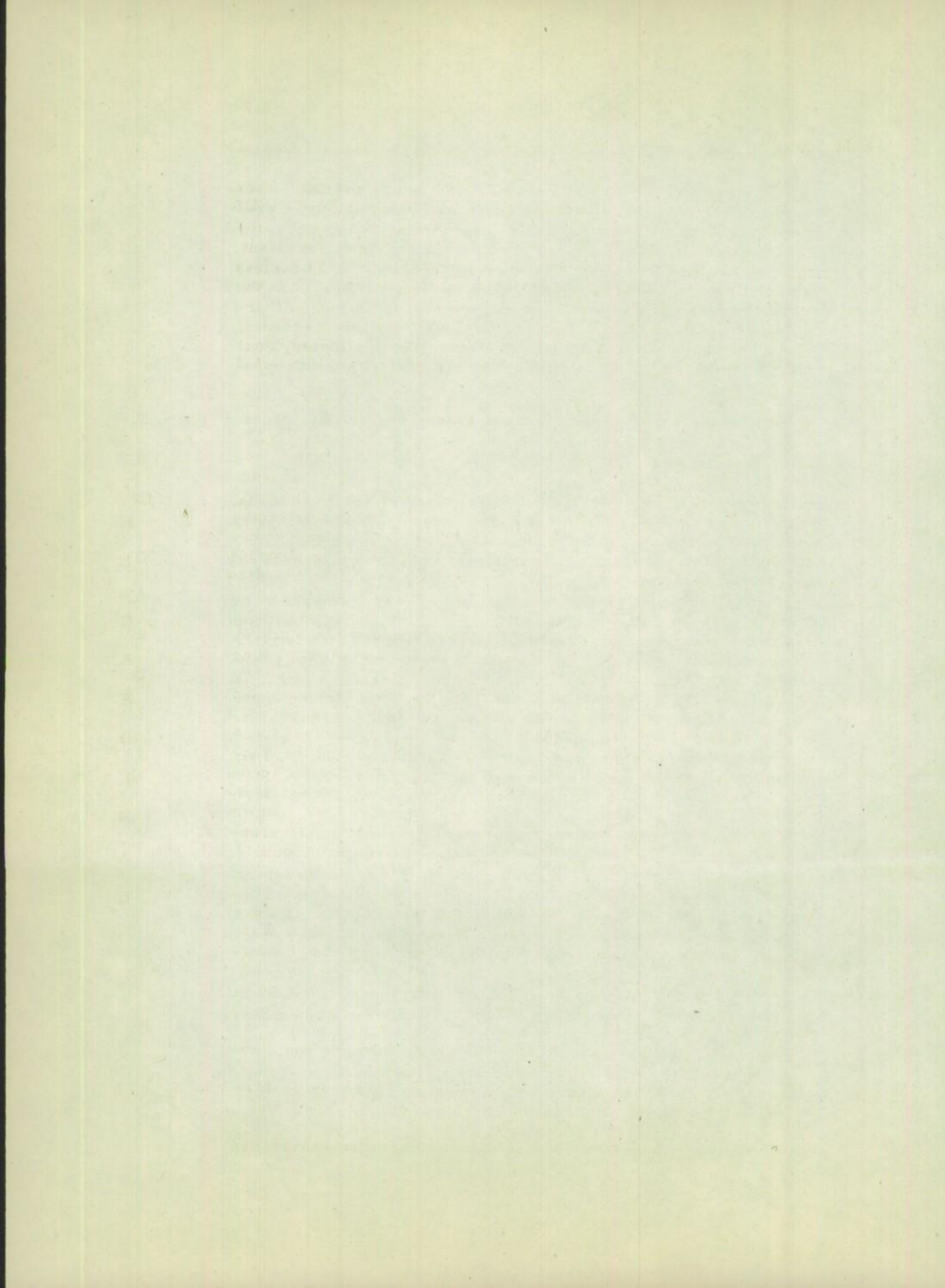
JUNIOR CLASS 2nd half

First row - Junior Sharpe, George Melvin, James Sosey, Robert Pittman, Ralph Schleich, Charles Thum, Bruce Sweney, and Robert Stevenson.

Second row - Miss Marianna Theobald, Advisor, Joanne Noble, Richard Spangler, Mattie Wallick, Bill Vaughn, Joan Steck, James Quick, John Shaw, and Katheryn Strode.

Third row - Audrey Wheller, Ronald Rock, Joyce Stevenson, Joanne Robinson, Betty Wallick, Charlotte Zimmerman, LaVeta Owens, Donna Rock, Patricia Smith, and Alan Sheets.

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JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY OF '47

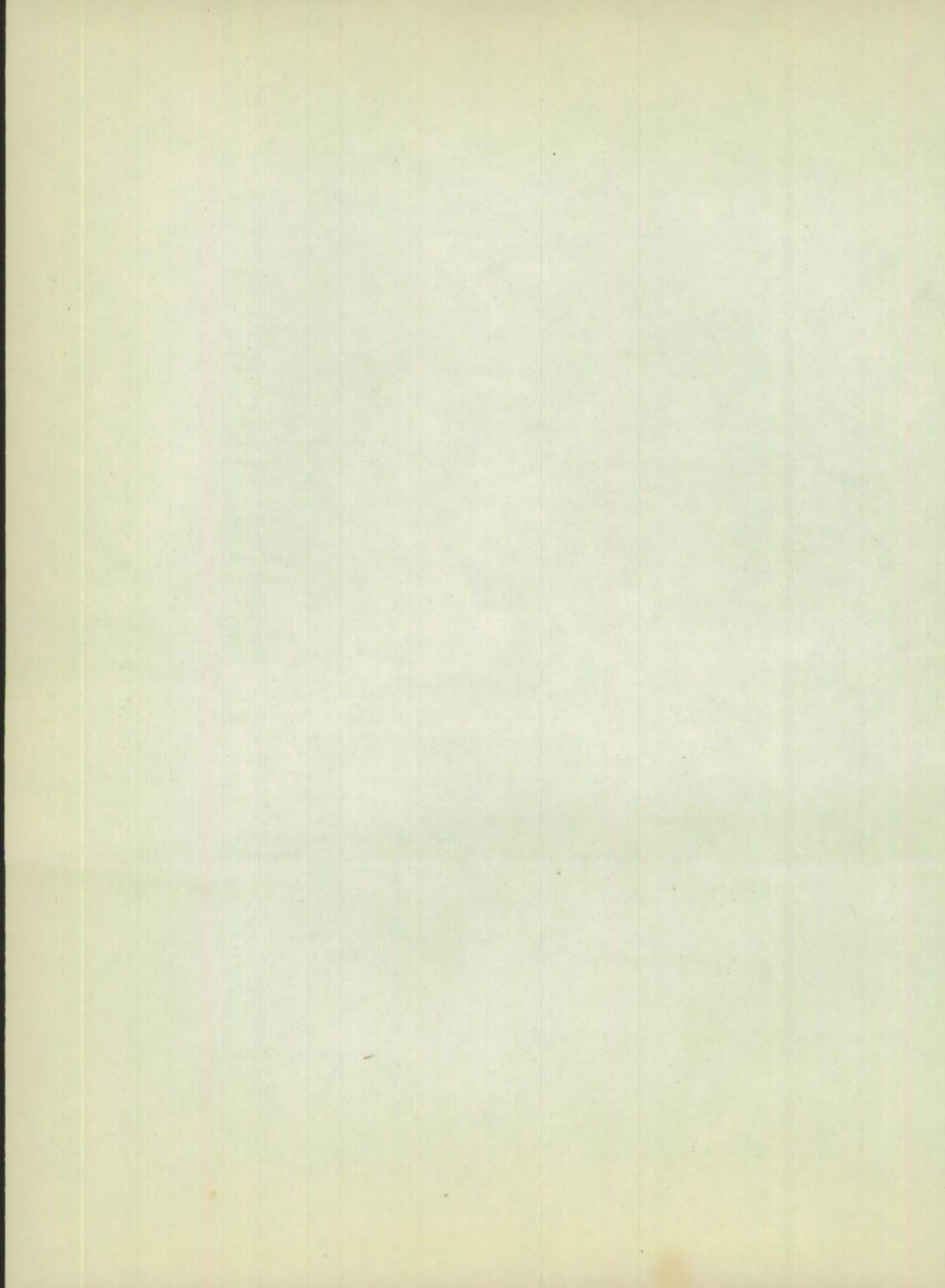
September 1, 1944, Cuba Community High School opened her doors to 202 high school students, among these being seventy proverbial greenhorns. During this year they were represented by the following class officers; President, Keith Frazier; Vice President, George Means, and Secretary-Treasurer, John Shaw. The class were privileged to have coach Ira Allison as class advisor. At the close of the year there were eleven less members. Donna Atherton, Robert Cadwalder and Monna Morse moved to other schools. Ilo Joachim, Marlowe Maznec, George Means, Marilyn Myers, Paul Myers, Mildred Paul, Eugene Rutherford, and Betty White dropped school.

After a refreshing vacation, fifty eight members of the former class reported for further education as sophomores this time a little less ignorant and unlearned about high school. Their class advisor was Miss Helen Melvin. The Class Officers were: President, Jim Sosey; Vice-President, Betty Graham, Secretary-Treasurer, Audrey Wheeler. Five members of the original class was unable to complete this year. Betty Lous Simpson and Robert Simpson moved to Canton. Ray Cool, Lucille Nash, and George Verag dropped school. The following spring a new member Shirley Wilson moved to Peoria and later returned to this group.

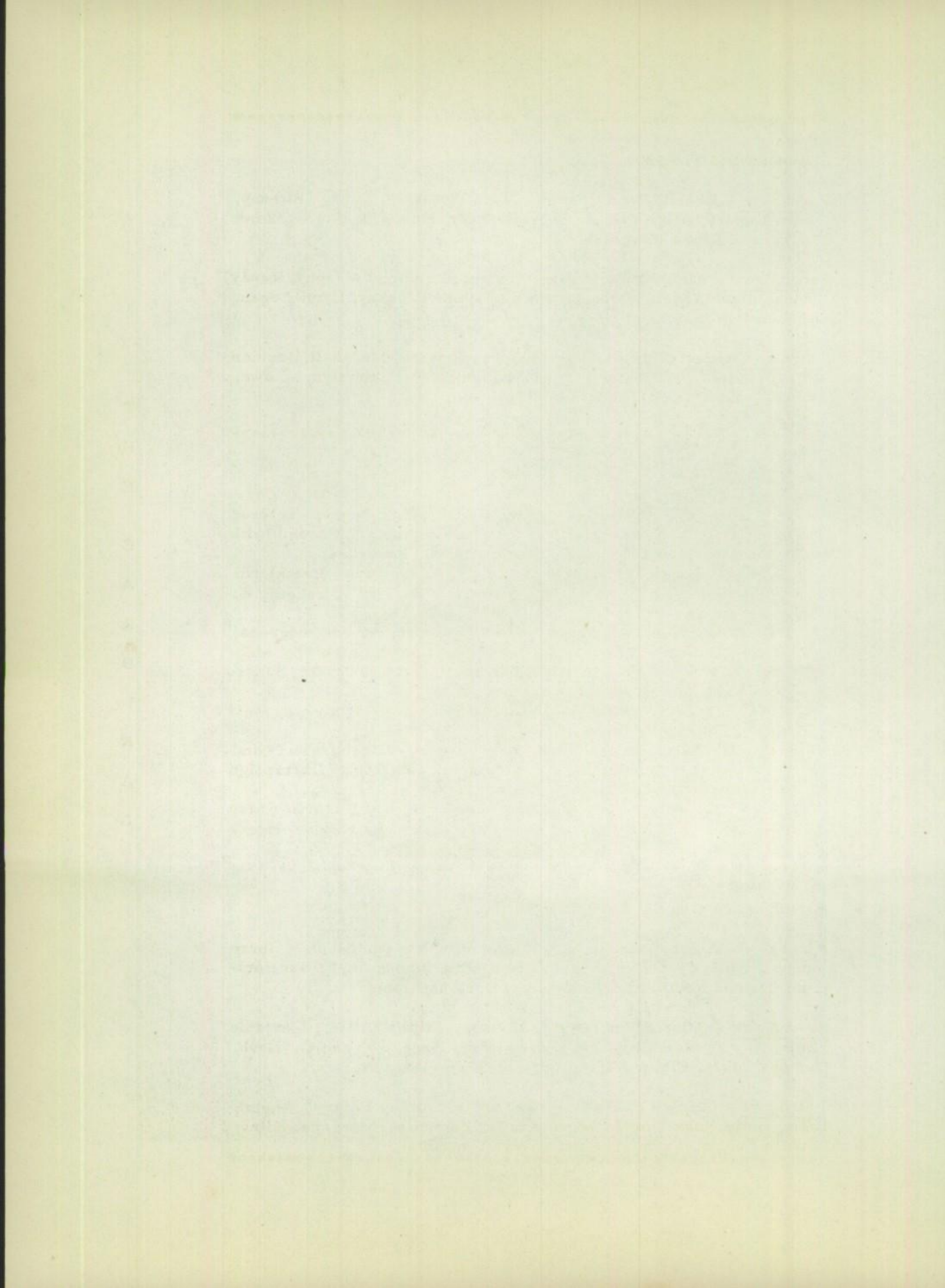
The enthusiasm of the Juniors at the beginning of the school term in the fall of 1946 was much greater than before. Forty nine members began to take on more responsibility and realized they were growing up and were respectable upper classmen. Among the successful activities of the year the selling of magazines, the proceeds of which was put in the Junior Treasury, to be used for sponsoring the Junior and Senior Prom in the spring. Perhaps the paramount activity of the Junior Class was the play, "Our Town," sponsored by the English instructor Mr. Fred Biggs. This was considered very difficult for high school students and therefore the juniors prided themselves upon their success. This year was completed under the leadership of the Class Advisor, Miss Marianna Theobald. The class officers included; President, Bruce Sweney, Vice President, Shirley Harper; and Secretary-Treasurer, Joanne Noble.

At the present we have a prospect of forty nine members of the beginning seventy to take over the responsibilities of the Senior-Class of 1947.

Miss Nessel: (In Commercial Geography) "Richard, do you know the population of Cuba?"
Richard: "No, not all of them. I've only gone here three years."







SOPHOMORE CLASS 1st half

First row - Everitt Vanderhamm, Clyde Townslay, Alma Sweney, Joanne Lundry, Alice Pickett, Marcia Smith, Bob Williams, Elmer Phelps, and Doyle Waughtel.

Second row - Miss Helen Melvin, Advisor, Bradford Murphy, Randy Manuel, Paul Wheeler, Donald Irwin, Dick McCloskey, Lynn Logan, and John Powell.

Third row - Betty Smith, Gladys Miller, Patricia Marshall, Bernice Wallick, Shirley McCloskey, Rose Marie Schleich, Marilyn Lowe, Donna Rhodes, and Alice Shirley.

SPEECH

For the first time in the past few years Cuba again entered in the District Speech Contest. This meet was held at Macomb with twelve schools entereng. Cuba had the following entries:

Eunice Clayberg--Dramatic--"Illusion" by Amzie Strickland.

LaVeta Owens--Oratory--"Listen, America" by Elizabeth E. Farley.

Randall Manuel--Original--"Youth, The Vanguard of Progress."

Shirley Harper--Verse Reading--"Fog, the Magician" by Melville Cain, Groups of Sonnets by Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Shakespeare, and Robert Browning.

Clara Black--Humorous--"Tom Sawyer's Love Affair--by Mark Twain.

From the District meet, the winners, Eunice Clayberg and Randall Manuel went to the Sectional at Monmouth and then to Champaign for the State meet.

Cuba again entered in the Illinois Valley Meet at Rushville, May 1. Humorous, Dramatic, and Oration were the only divisions entered.

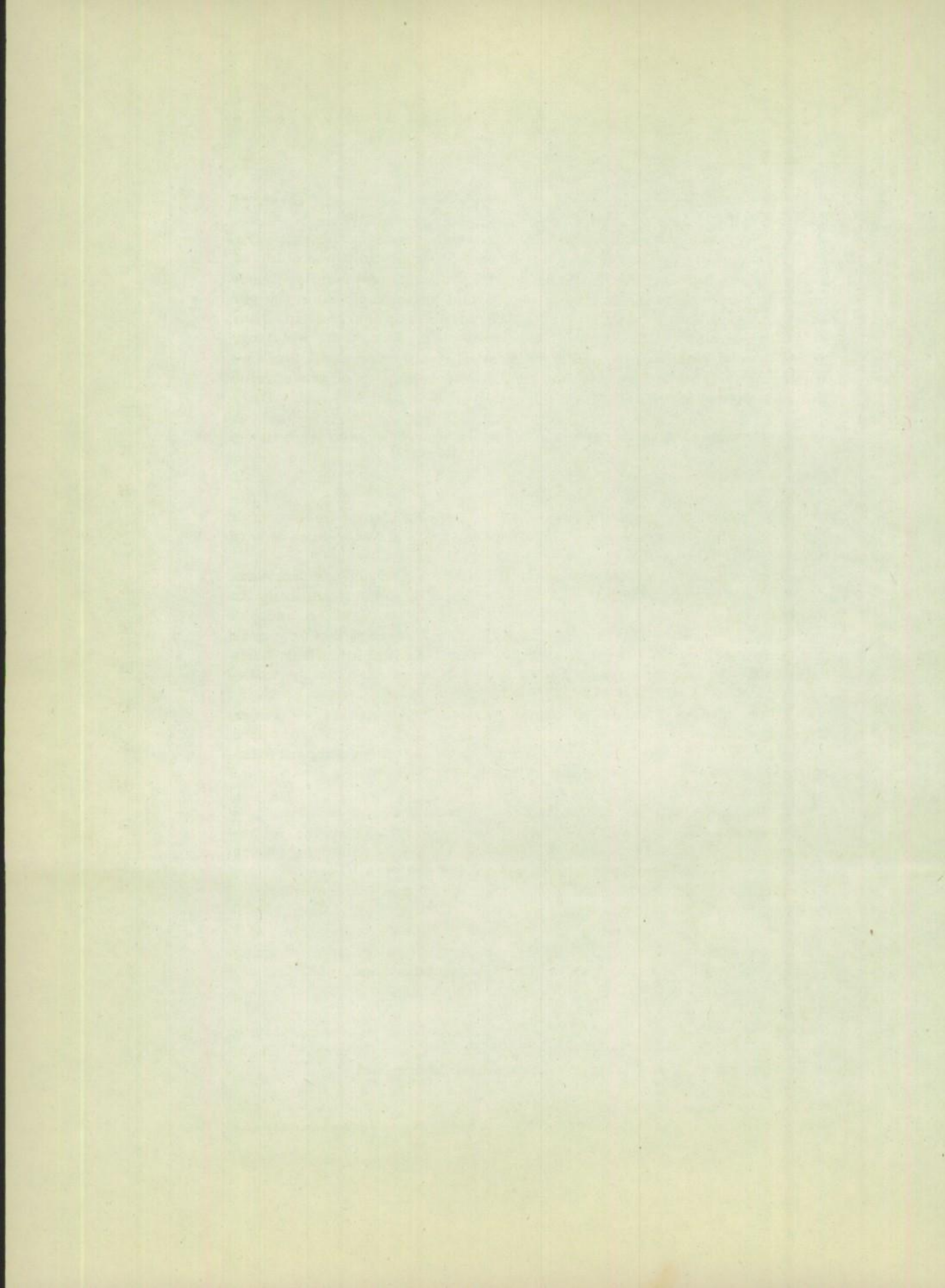
SOPHOMORE CLASS 2nd half

First row - Arlene Johnson, Mavis Ann Ault, Rosalie Black Jerry Johnson, Gladys Joachim, Donald Livingston, Ivan Hebb, Lillian Barttrum, Donald Foulk, Midgie Beasley, Darlena Black.

Second row - Miss Helen Milvin, Advisor, Willma Little, Marjorie Foulk, Ray Frances, Francis Clark, James Fore, Francis Lash, Dorothy Little, Elaine Keefauver, and Emma Johnson.

Third row - Clarice Burrows, Joe Francis, Shirley Lafary, Buelah Helle, Betty Hunt, Donald Churchill, Jay Lescallet, Margaret Kline, Louella Foster, Verna France, Evelyn Carpenter.

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SOPHOMORE HISTORY

On September 4, 1945, seventy-three innocent Freshmen, yearning for the golden wine of knowledge, entered upon the threshold of Cuba Community High School. Timidly? No, rather proudly. We felt from the beginning that our class would become an asset to our school, and it has. We have used good judgment throughout in our election of class officers and school activities. Our first meeting, as a class in high school, came shortly after our entering, and we lost no time in becoming organized. We chose as our officers Bob Williams, President; Bradford Murphy, Vice-President; and Darlena Black, Secretary-Treasurer. Mr. Gilbert Veach served as our class sponsor. Out of the seventy-three members that started in our Freshman class nine either dropped school or moved. These were: Betty June Buffum, Mike Churchill, Daniel Hall, Jesse Hall, Carroll Harr, Betty Havens, Charles Pilgrim, Earnest Virog, and Joe Polston. Two other students that entered during the year were Ivan Hebb and Charles Treadway. This made a total of sixty-six out of the seventy-three.

After a pleasant summer vacation sixty-two out of the sixty-six returned to school on September 3, 1946. We now had something to really be proud of. We had discarded the title of Freshman and had assumed a new and more dignified one that of, "Sophomore". We had our meeting and elected Randall Manuel, President; Bob Williams, Vice-President; and Bradford Murphy as Secretary-Treasurer. Shirley Lafary was elected as a member of the student council. Our class sponsor for this year was Miss Helen Melvin. Three members, Delores Bobo, Doris Button, and Junior Ford dropped school. Elmer Phelps and Rose Marie Schleich entered school making a present total of sixty Sophomores.

Professor: "You must write your theme so clearly that the most ignorant person can read it."

Freshman: "Why Professor, what part didn't you understand?"

Mother: "Son, if you eat another one of those cookies you will bust."

Son: "Well, hand me another cookie and stand back."

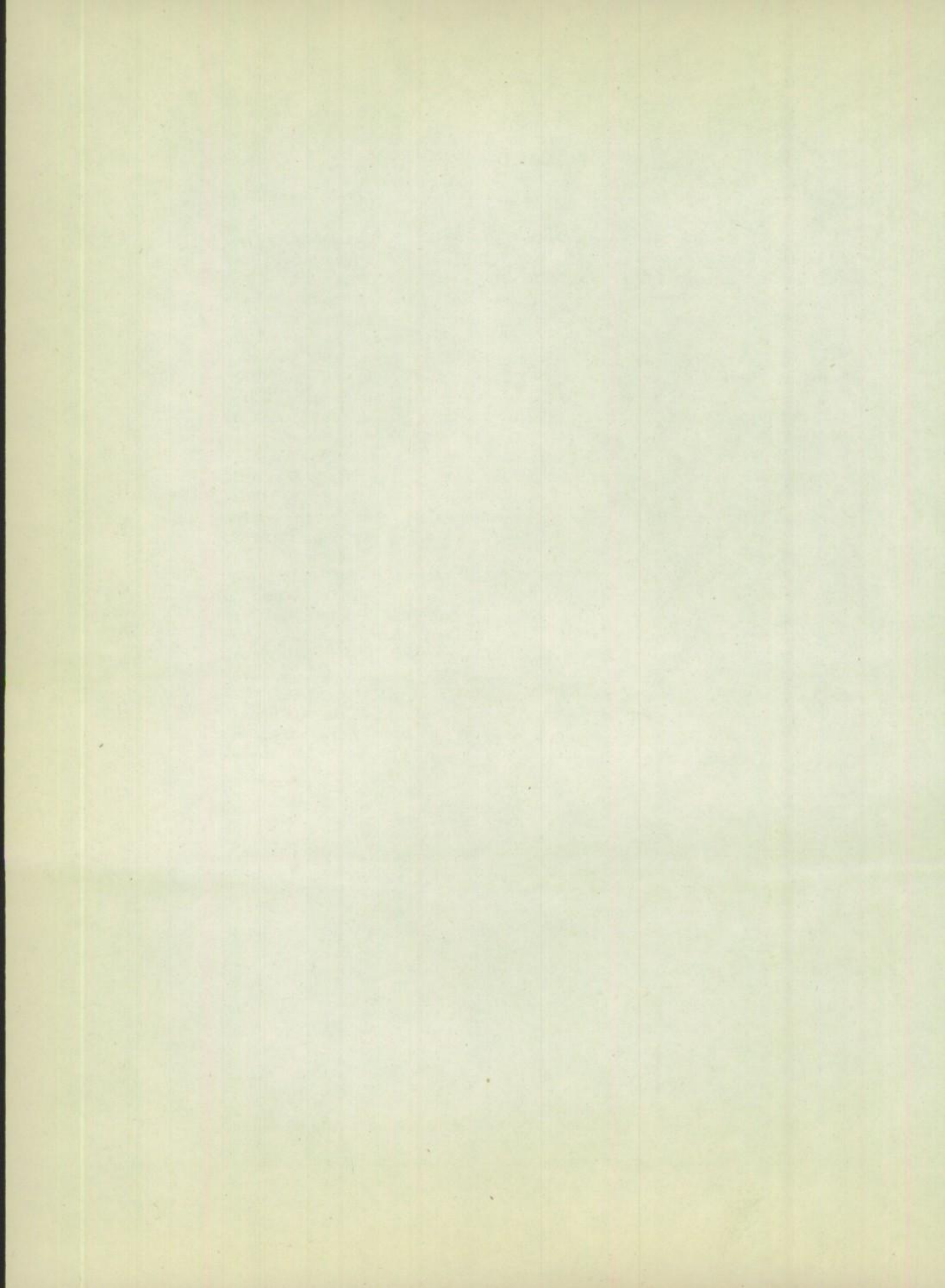
Customer: "What have you got to drink?"

Rosie: "Liquids."

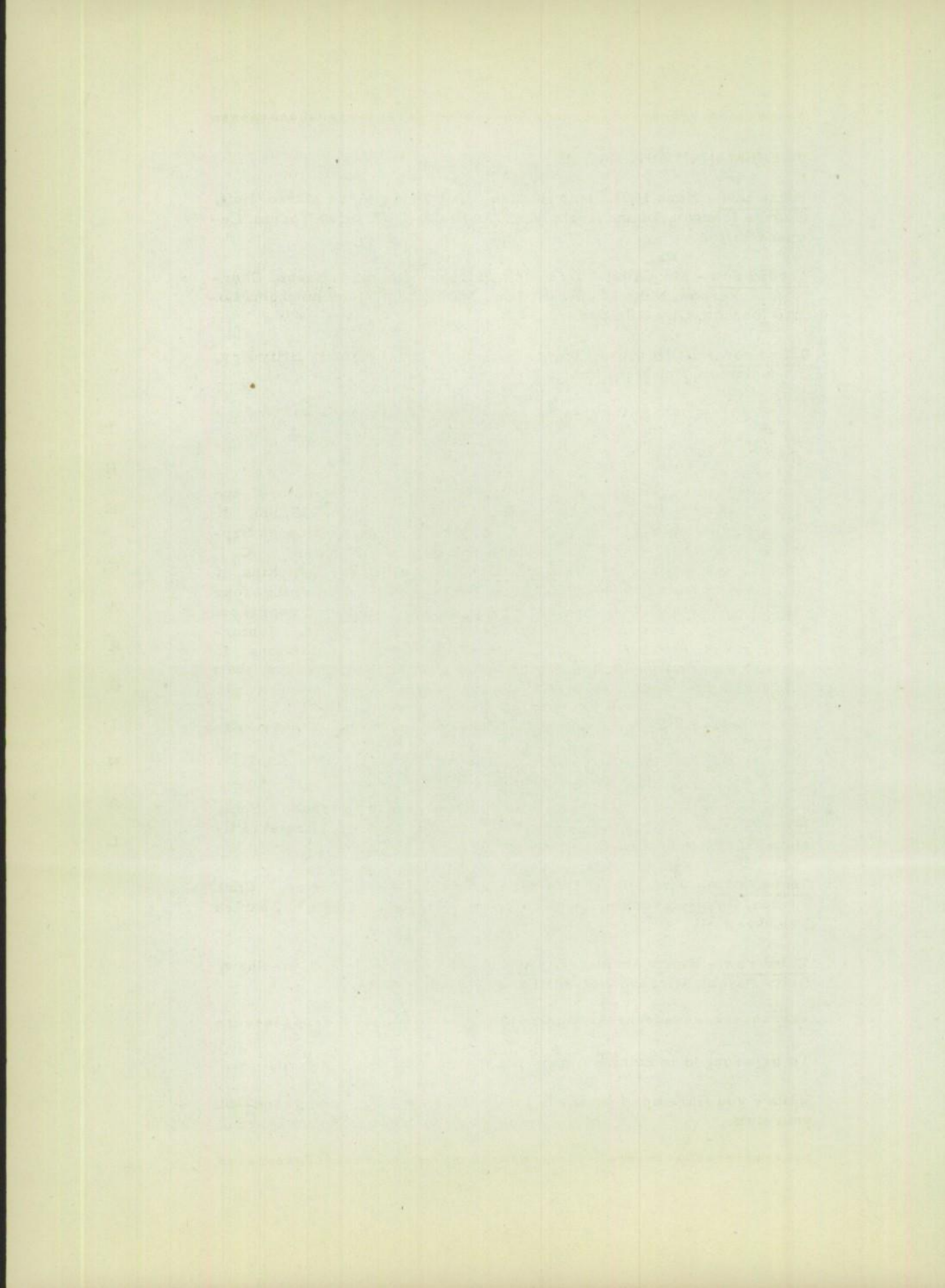
Wise Steudent: "One who saves his notebook for fuel."

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FRESHMAN CLASS 1st half

First row - Neva Helle, Ann Buchen, Hugh Kline, Anna Marie Huff, George Johnson, Donna Keefauver, Bob Keime, Caroline Yocum, Leonard Hilton.

Second row - Mr. Gilbert D. Veach, Advisor, Donald Juliuson, Charlotte Ackerson, Mike Churchill, Margaret Buxton, John Iunghuhn, Lonita Johnson, Guy Gilmore.

Third row - Billie Hess, George Grindle, Beverly Black, Billy Fry, Faye Cathey, Bob Hart, Joan Clayberg.

OUR GYMNASIUM

Our Gymn was built by Joe McCarthy and Sons contractors and F. E. Berger and R. L. Kelly as architects at a cost of \$33,000. It was built during the reign of A. E. Hubbard's term of office as Superintendent here. Members of the Board were C. W. Ewan, C. J. Landis, Harry Clayberg, William Marshall, and Joshua Tompkins. It is a red brick structure with a domed shape roof, containing four offices, basketball court, two dressing rooms, two shower rooms and a large stage. It is used for basketball games, parties, Junior-Senior prom, physical education, and all dramatic presentations. It is truly a symbol of the community's interest in the lives of their young men and women so as to train our bodies as well as our minds.

FRESHMAN CLASS 2nd half

First row - Lila Rilea, Sylvia Vice, Colleen Myers, Barbara Paul, Leona Taylor, Margaret McCaughey, Virginia Lafary, Harriet Pilcher, Barbara Sorrells.

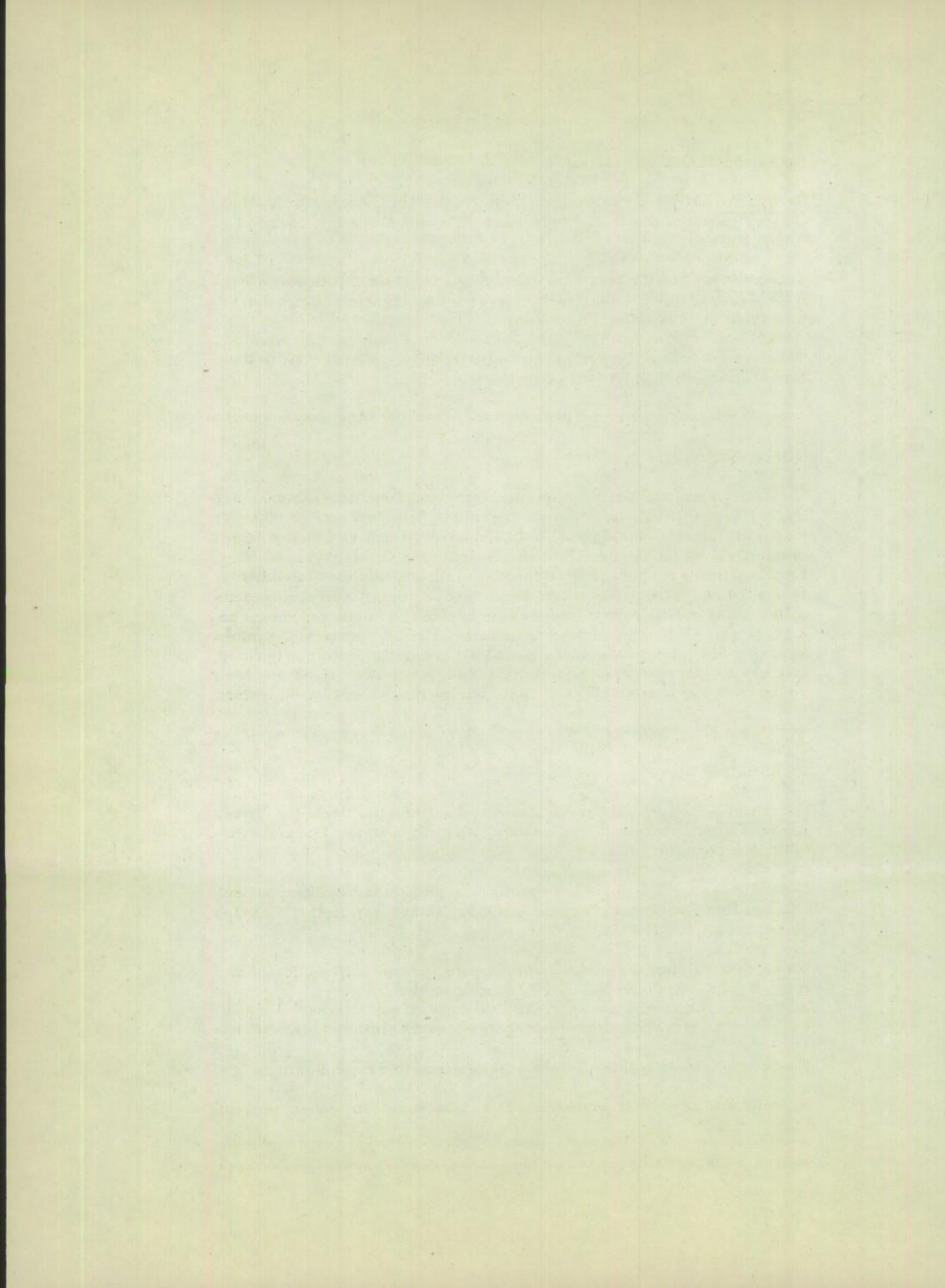
Second row - Mr. Gilbert D. Veach, Advisor, Buddy Walker, Carl Phelps, Rosalyn Yocum, Louise Rankin, Wilbur McNeil, Charles Treadway.

Third row - Benny Strode, Edward Vance, Archie Noland, Joe Shaw, Betty Pascal, Richard Noland, Edward Tomkins.

To be wronged is nothing unless you continue to remember it.

Before you flare up at anyone's faults, take time to count ten--of your own.

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THE FRESHMAN CLASS HISTORY

We were the students of 1946, representing the Freshman Class. Some of us were timid, some were bold, and the rest of us were medicore. We were the fifty-eight Freshmen who entered the doors of Cuba High that morning of September 3.

The first day we were terrified at the strangeness of this new school. How different it was from the one we had just graduated from! We got into the wrong classes, or none at all, and was called "greenhorns" by our "wise" Seniors.

We thought initiation was over, but they didn't!! They set aside one day for which they initiated us right. That night they gave a party for us!

We felt now like we were more at home, and we selected our leaders. The sponsor was Mr. Veach: President, Bob Keimes; Vice President, Joan Clayberg; Secretary-Treasurer; Beverly Black.

We Freshmen felt as if this wasn't enough for us for we wanted to show the other three classes we had the ability to get ahead too. So, representing our class Joan Clayberg, Donna Keefauver, and Beverly Black, went out for cheerleading. We knew we had a lot of competition, but it didn't bother us. Finally, after all the votes were counted, we knew that we had won. How happy we were!

After the first month of school, we noticed that several students had dropped out. Among these were Floyd Wallick, Roger Vanderlaan, and Margaret Knott. Carroll Harr too dropped, but later decided to re-enter again.

We were happy to regain another student, Carl Phelps, from the Pekin High School.

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Freshman: Say, intelligent one, your neck reminds me of a typewriter.

Sophomore: ????????? How's that?

Freshman: Underwood.

Miss Barbre: Joan, you may give me your theme.

Joan: I haven't any.

Miss Barbre: Yours, George.

George: I had the same one Joan had.

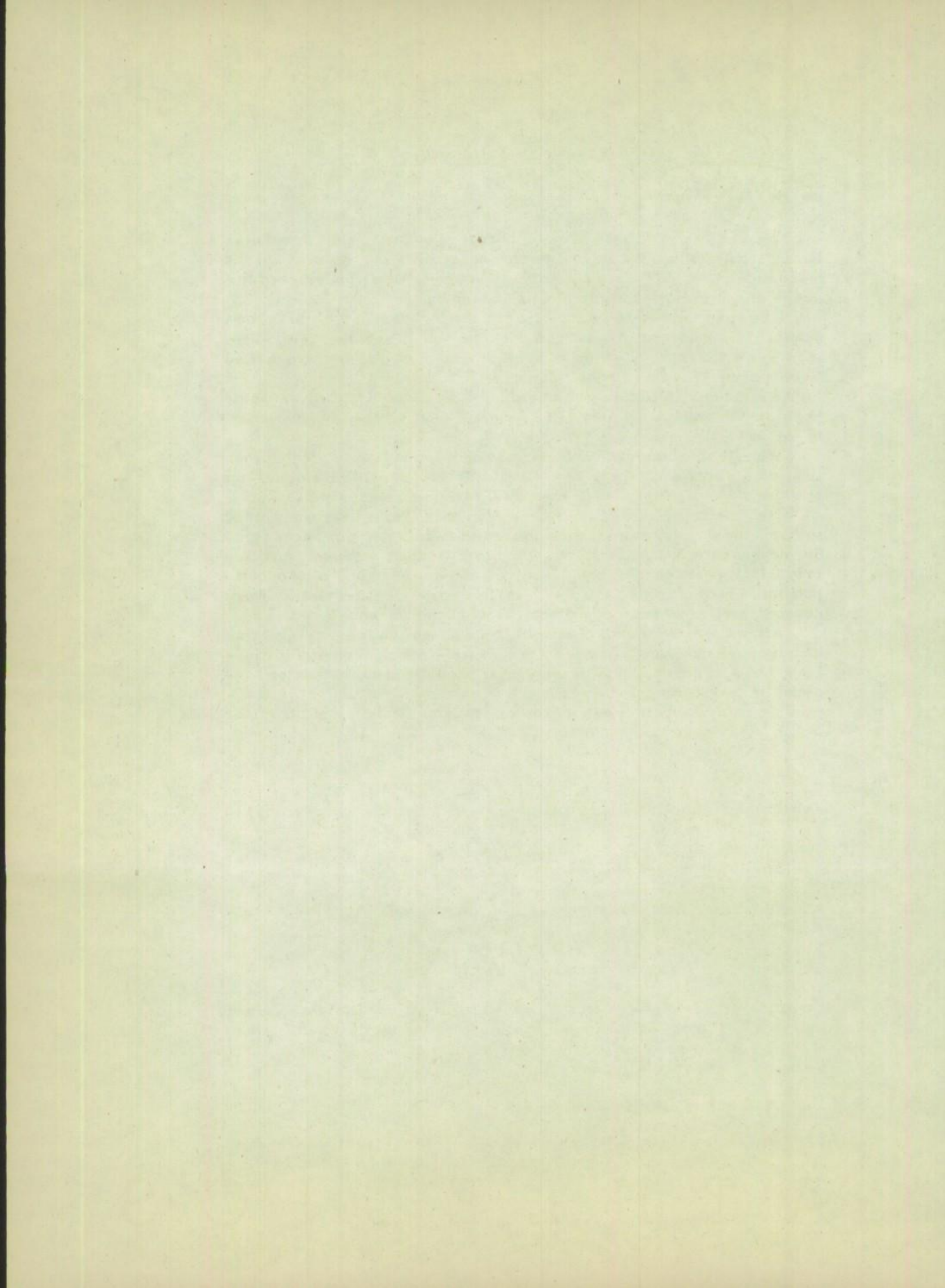
Mr. Crews: (In mathematics class) Grindle, if your father earned forty dollars a week and gave your mother half, what would she have?

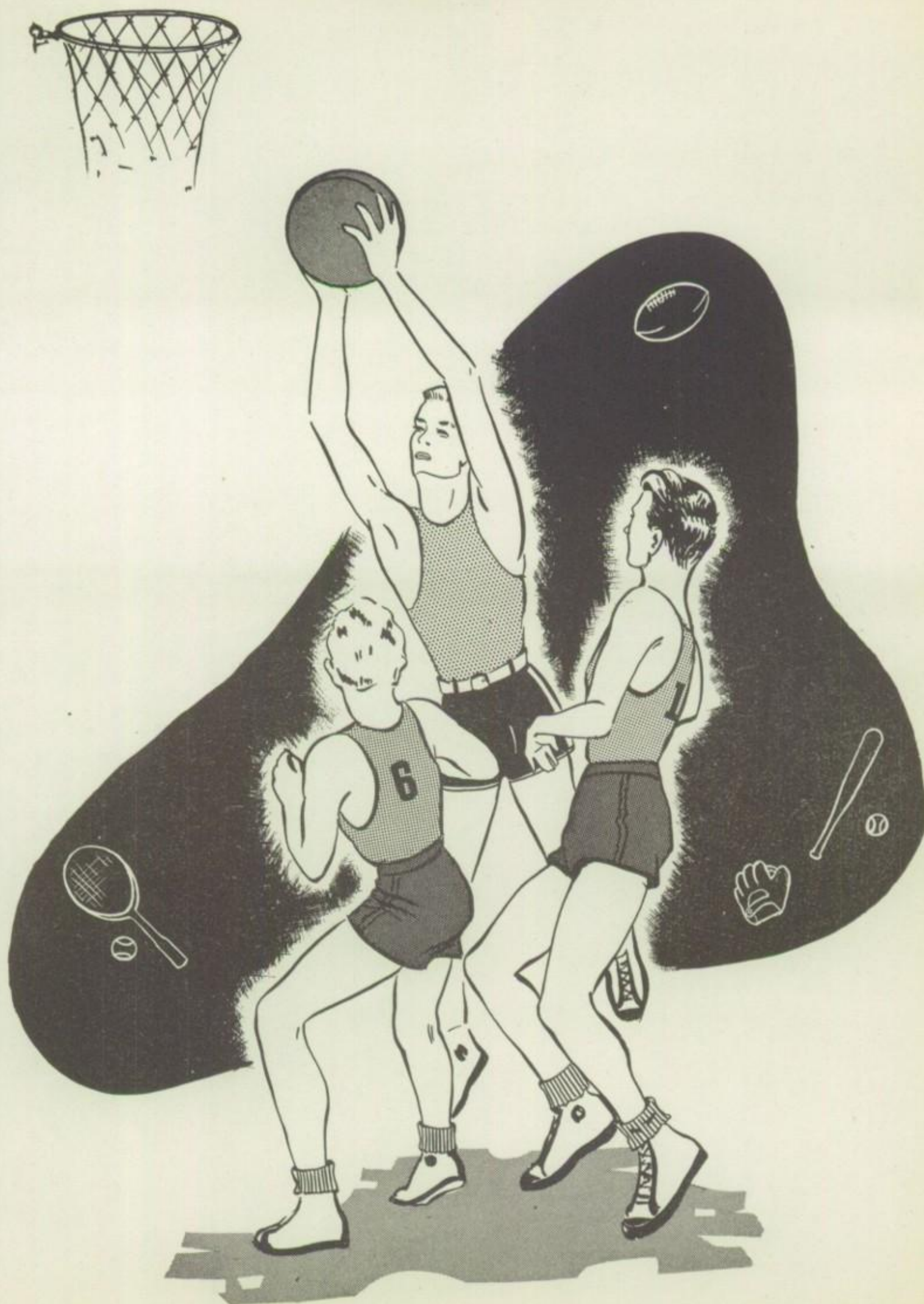
Grindle: Heart failure.

The week end is usually a weak end.

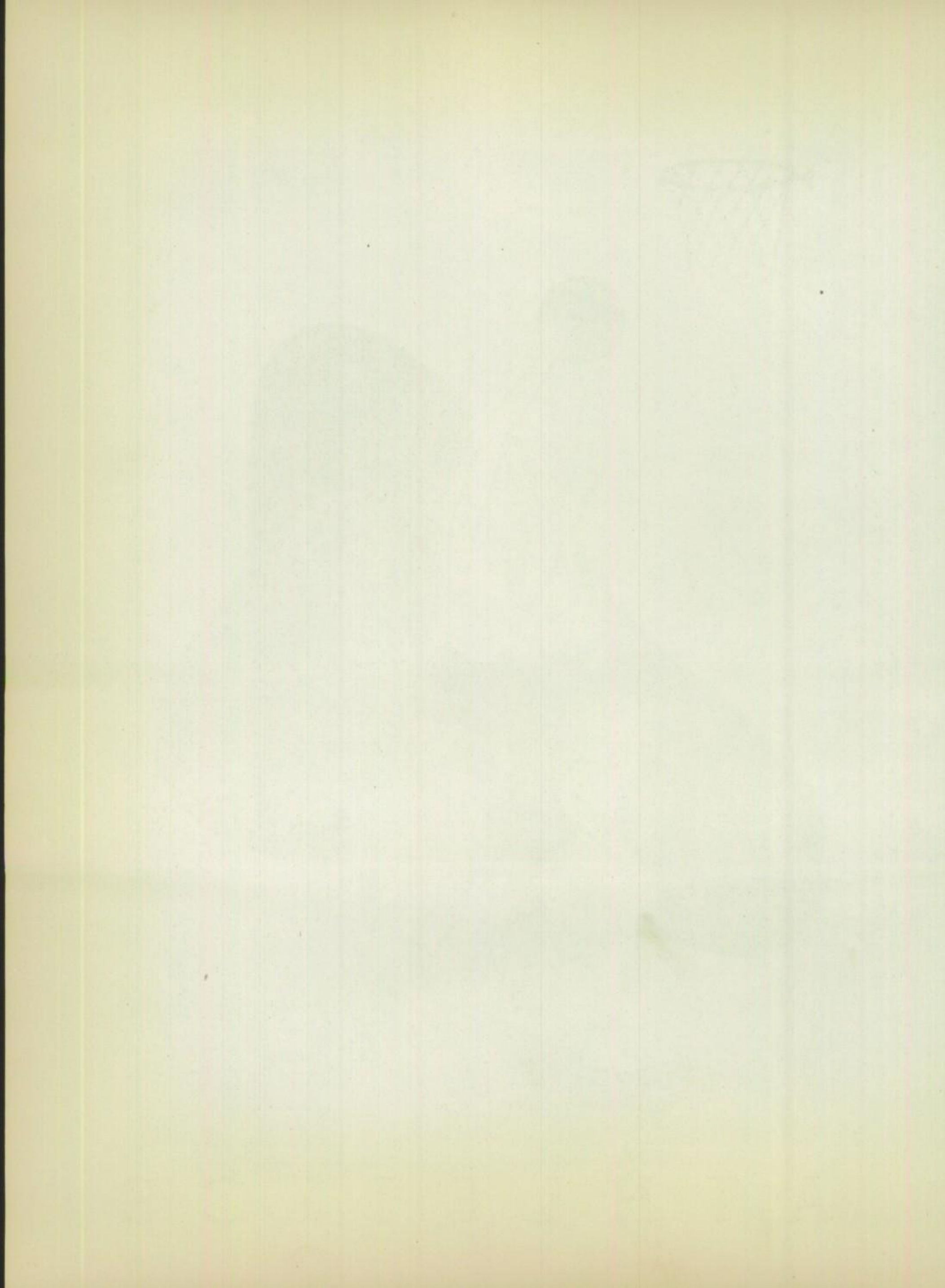
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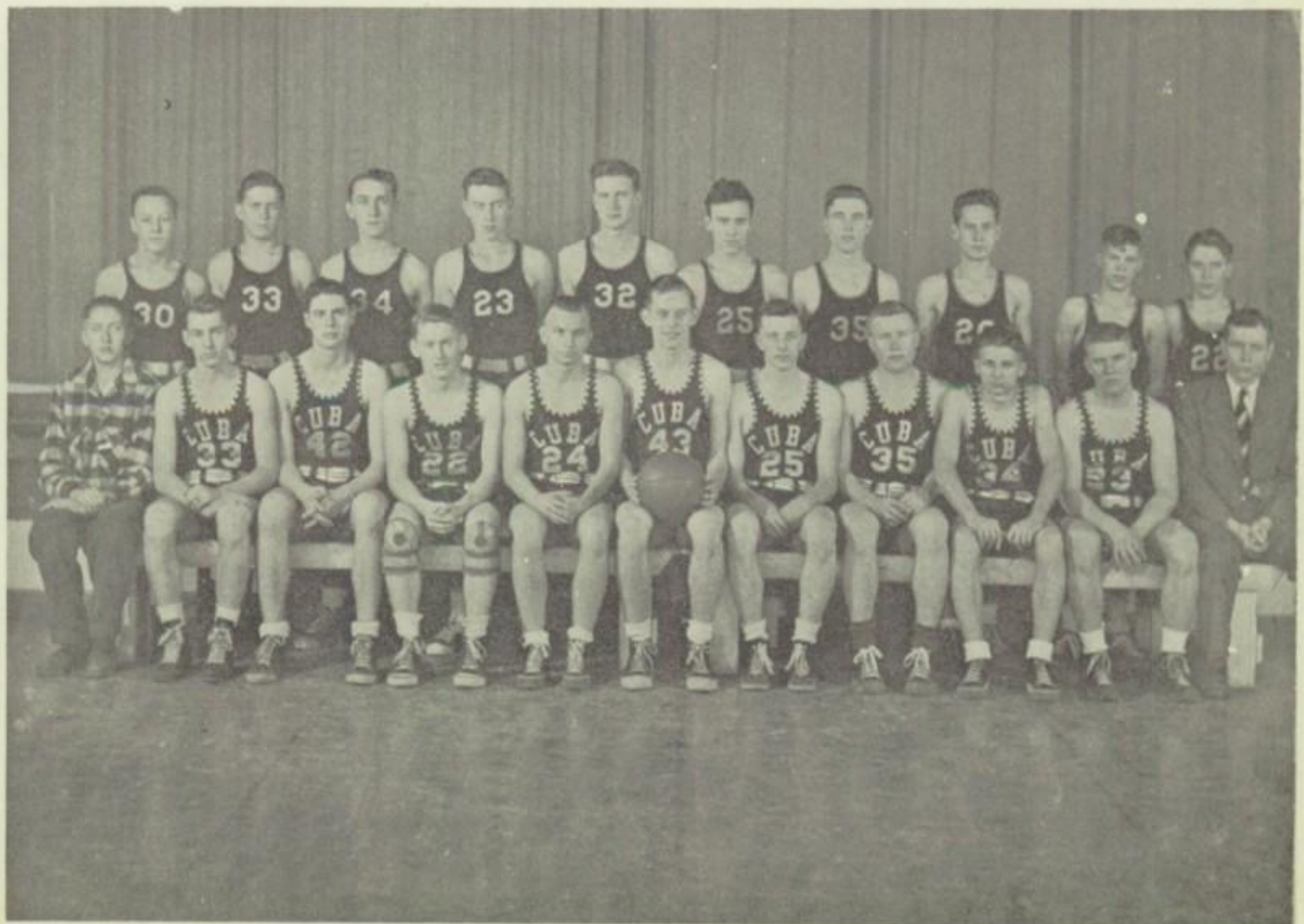
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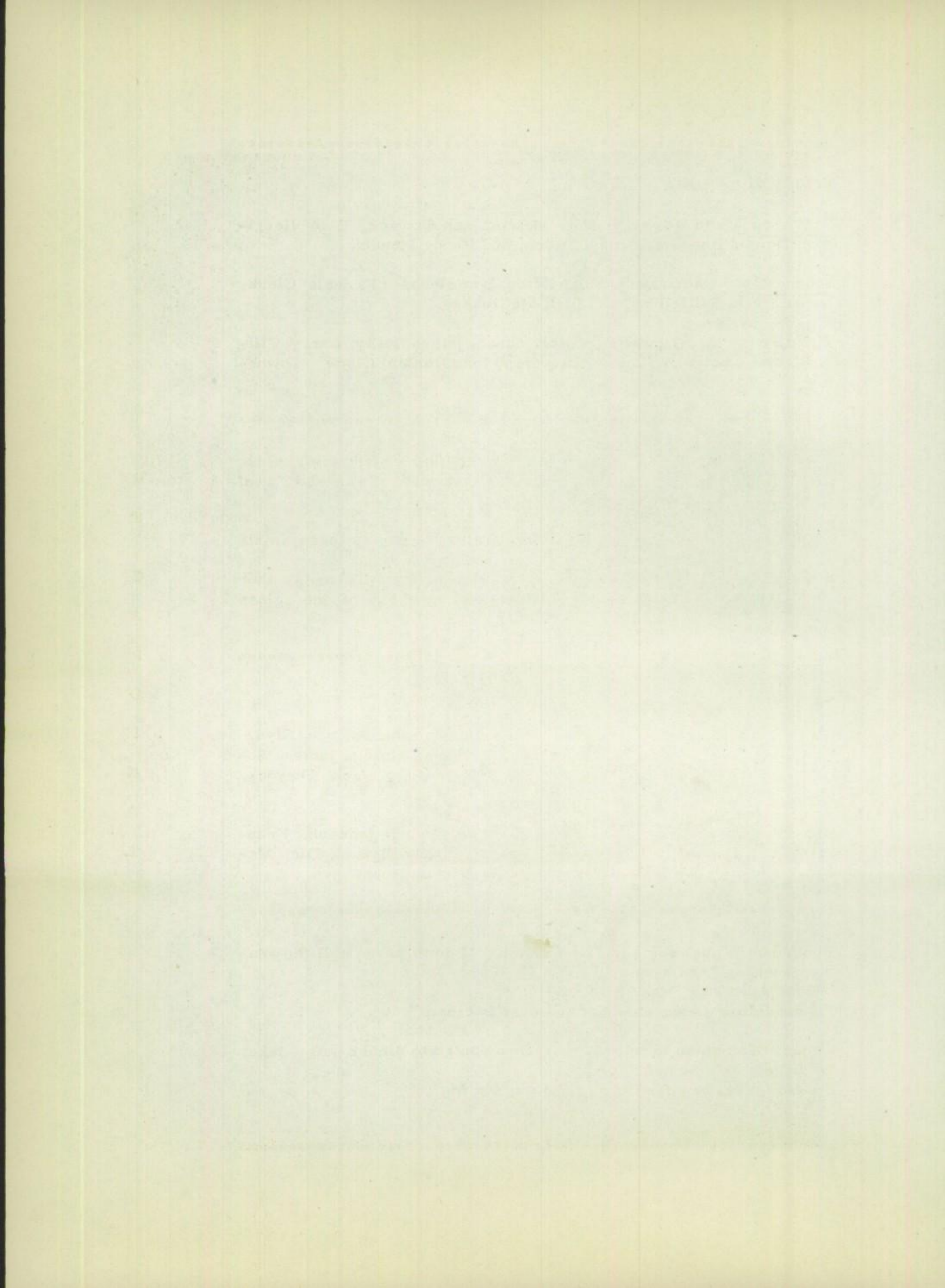




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FOOTBALL TEAM

First row - Bob Keime, George Melvin, Jack Shryock, Bob Herri-
ford, Donald Haggerty, Ronald Rock, and Randy Manuel.

Second row - Jack Evans, Hugh Kline, Ivan Hebb, Francis Clark,
James Hess, Billie Fry, and Dick McCloskey.

Third row - Mr. Gilbert D. Veach, coach, James Sosey, Larry Clif-
ford, Max Foster, Wilbur McClaughry, John Rankin, Clyde Towns-
lay, and Everitt Vanderhamm, manager.

Coach Veach: We're going to give you artificial respiration, Max.
Max Foster: I don't want artificial respiration. I want the real
thing.

Johnny Rankin: Boy, I never saw anything as strong as these small
onions.

Larry Clifford: I have. My uncle had some goat milk once that
was so strong that it clumb right out of the glass
and walked across the table.

BASKETBALL TEAM

First row - first team - Everett Vanderhamm, manager, Clyde
Townslay, Larry Clifford, Franc Krohe, George Melvin, James So-
sey, Max Foster, Wilbur McClaughry, Bob Harrison, Jack Shryock,
Mr. Gilbert D. Veach, coach.

Second row - second team - Bob Herriford, George Johnson, Fran-
ces Clark, Donald Lifingston, Bill Vaughn, Randy Manuel, Dick Mc-
Closkey, Doyle Waughtel, Edward Vance, Ronald Rock.

The husband answering the phone said, "I don't know; call the wea-
ther bureau," and hung up.

"Wast was that?" asked the wife.

"Some fellow asked whether the coast is clear."

Franc: You mean to tell me that when you go to dinner with Jake,
he forgets he's Scotch?"

Donna: Yep, he goes Dutch and I pay for me.

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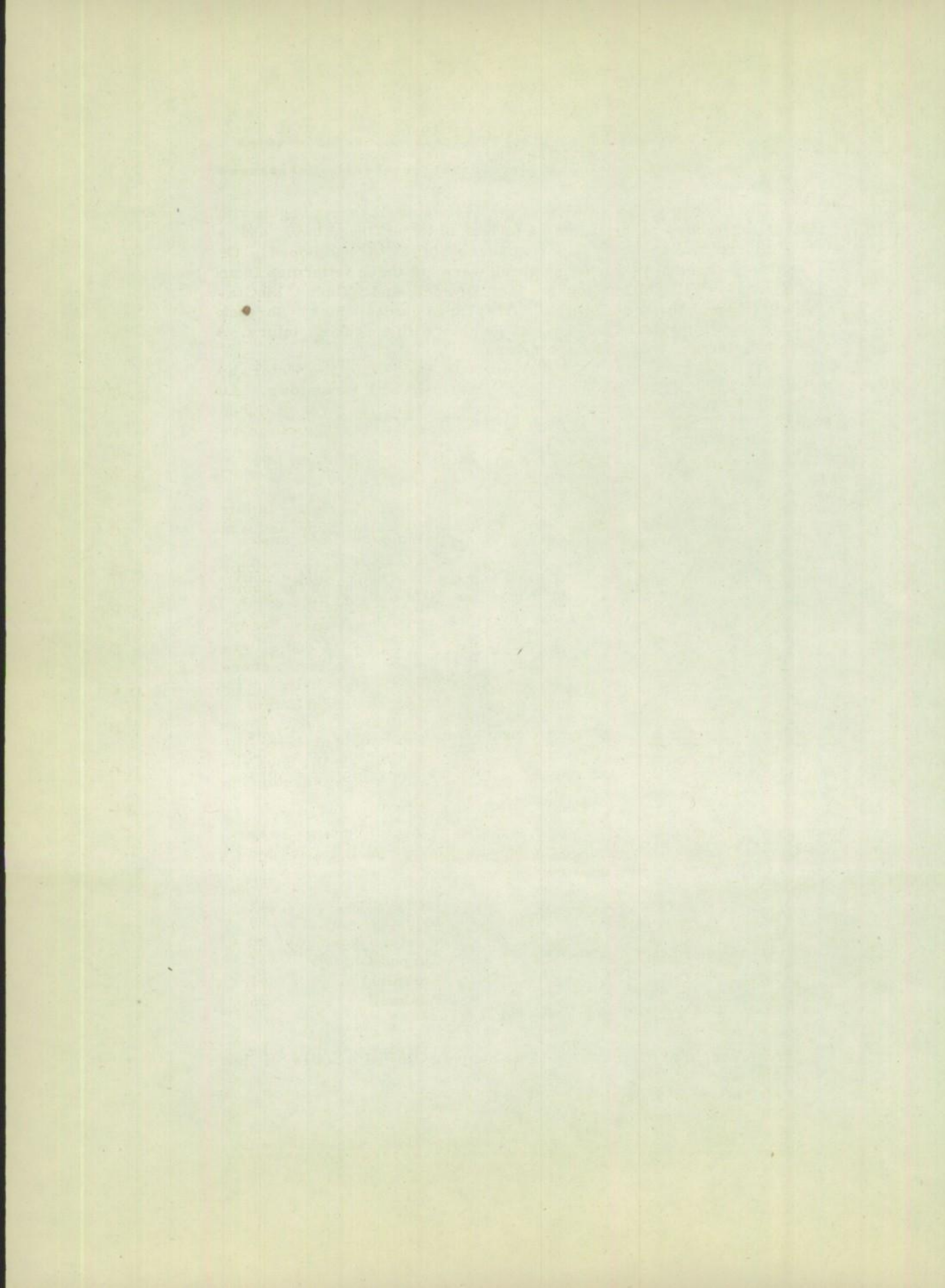
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FOOTBALL OF 1946

The first practice session of the 1946 football team began with thirty-three boys reporting. Due to lack of experienced boys and a few injuries the season was not so successful as we had hoped. Of the thirty-three boys reporting there were but three lettermen from last year---William McCloskey, Jack Shyrook, and Wilbur McClaughry. Two of these were out the first three games: Jack Shyrook with a back injury, and Wilbur McClaughry with an ankle injury. A fourth letterman was unable to return.

Our first game was held at Avon, with Avon being the victor by a wide margin. The first home game was held with Lewistown. At the end of the third quarter the score stood 12-13 in favor of Cuba. Then, late in the fourth quarter Lewistown made a touchdown, leaving the final score; Cuba 13-Lewistown, 19.

In the next game Cuba was one of the three teams to score against a strong Industry team--Industry won.

We then journeyed to Galesburg to play Corpus Christi. In this game, Bob Williams, playing end, fractured his collar bone and was unable to play the rest of the season.

The next two games were at home, Western Academy, victor of the first, and Farmington, furnishing the oppositions in the homecoming football game. Cuba ended the season at Bushnell.

Those boys earning their "C" this year were James Sosey, Charles Thum, and Donald Haggerty, guards; Jack Evans and a Larry Clifford, tackles; Jack Shyrook, center; Junior Townsley, quarterback; Max Foster at left half; George Melvin at right half; Wilbur McClaughry, fulback; and the manager-Everett VanderHamm.

All of these boys will return except Larry Clifford, Jack Shyrook, and Wilbur McClaughry. Other seniors on the squad were: Bill McCloskey, Franc Krohe, and James Hess. So, with all the boys returning except these six, Cuba should have an average season in 1947.

Schedule was as follows:

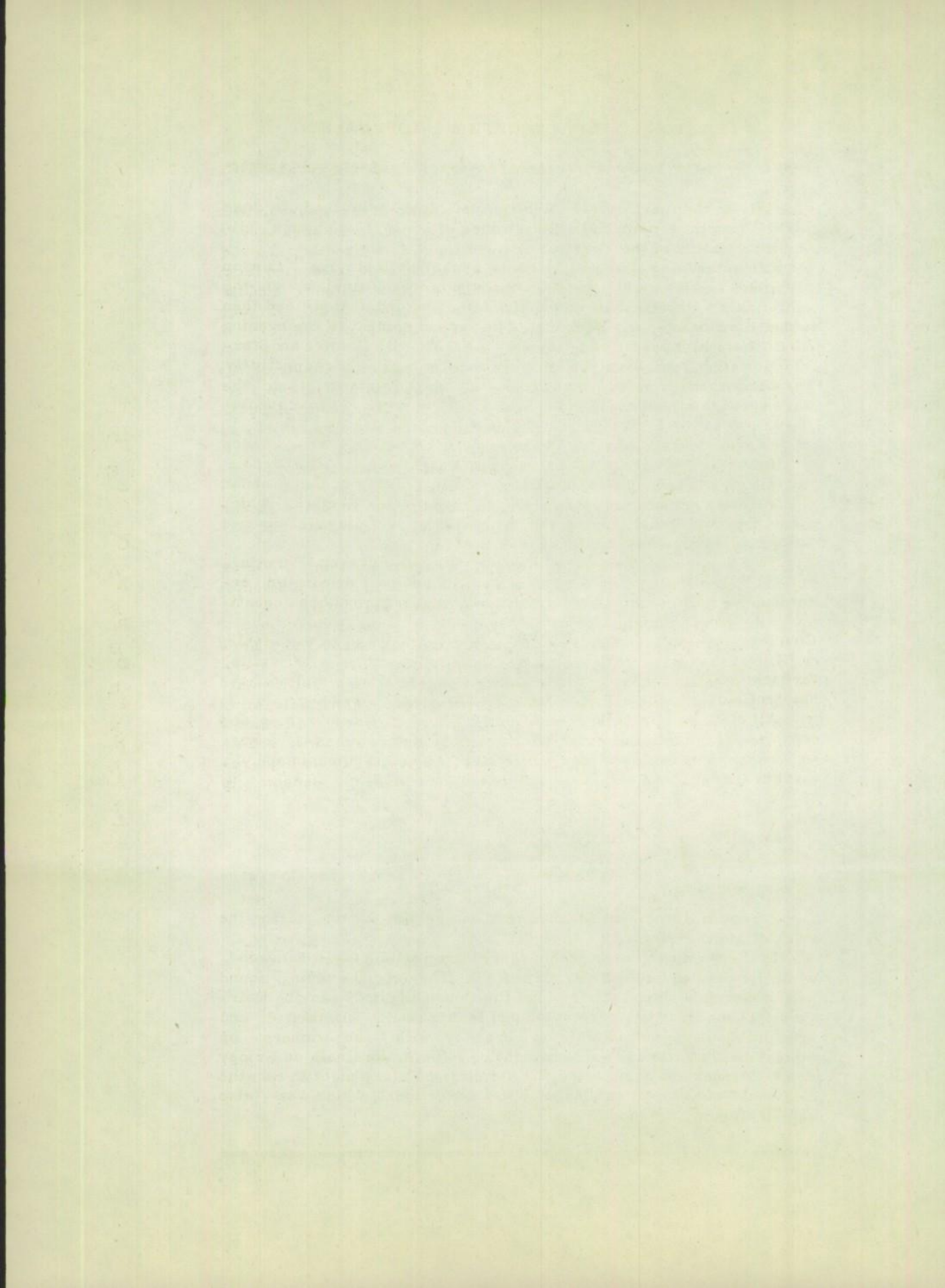
Sept. 20	Cuba	0	Avon	50
Sept. 27	Cuba	13	Lewistown	19
Oct. 4	Cuba	6	Industry	79
Oct. 11	Cuba	6	Western Academy	20
Oct. 18	Cuba	6	Corpus Christi	41
Nov. 1	Cuba	0	Farmington	41
Nov. 8	Cuba	0	Bushnell	26

Mr. Veach: You know our little baby swallowed a bottle of ink last night.

Mr. Marvin: Incredible!

Mr. Veach: No, indelible.

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FULTON COUNTY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

But early in the fourth period Cuba gained a one-point lead, to lose it in the last three minutes, with a score of 26-23. This game eliminated Cuba from the Tournament.

Friday evening, January 24, found Farmington playing London Mills, and Lewistown forming the opposition for Fairview, in the semi-finals. Farmington, up to this time, was undefeated, and then downed London by a 45-28 score. The second contest of the evening found Lewistown defeating Fairview by 47-37, with Holmes and Starceovich pacing Lewistown with twenty-one and nineteen, respectively.

These two games moved Farmington and Lewistown into the championship game, and London Mills and Fairview to the consolation game.

Saturday evening, the first game was the consolation. London Mills nosed out Fairview by a small margin, 37-35. The second game was the Class B championship, with the winner of the London Mills Section playing the winner of the Lewistown Section, which were Ellisville and Table Grove, respectively. Ellisville downed Table Grove for the Class B championship by 30-19.

Then came the big game of the Tournament, between Farmington and Lewistown, for the Class A championship. Farmington over-ran Lewistown by twenty points. The Farmington coach substituted freely in stopping the Indians 41-21.

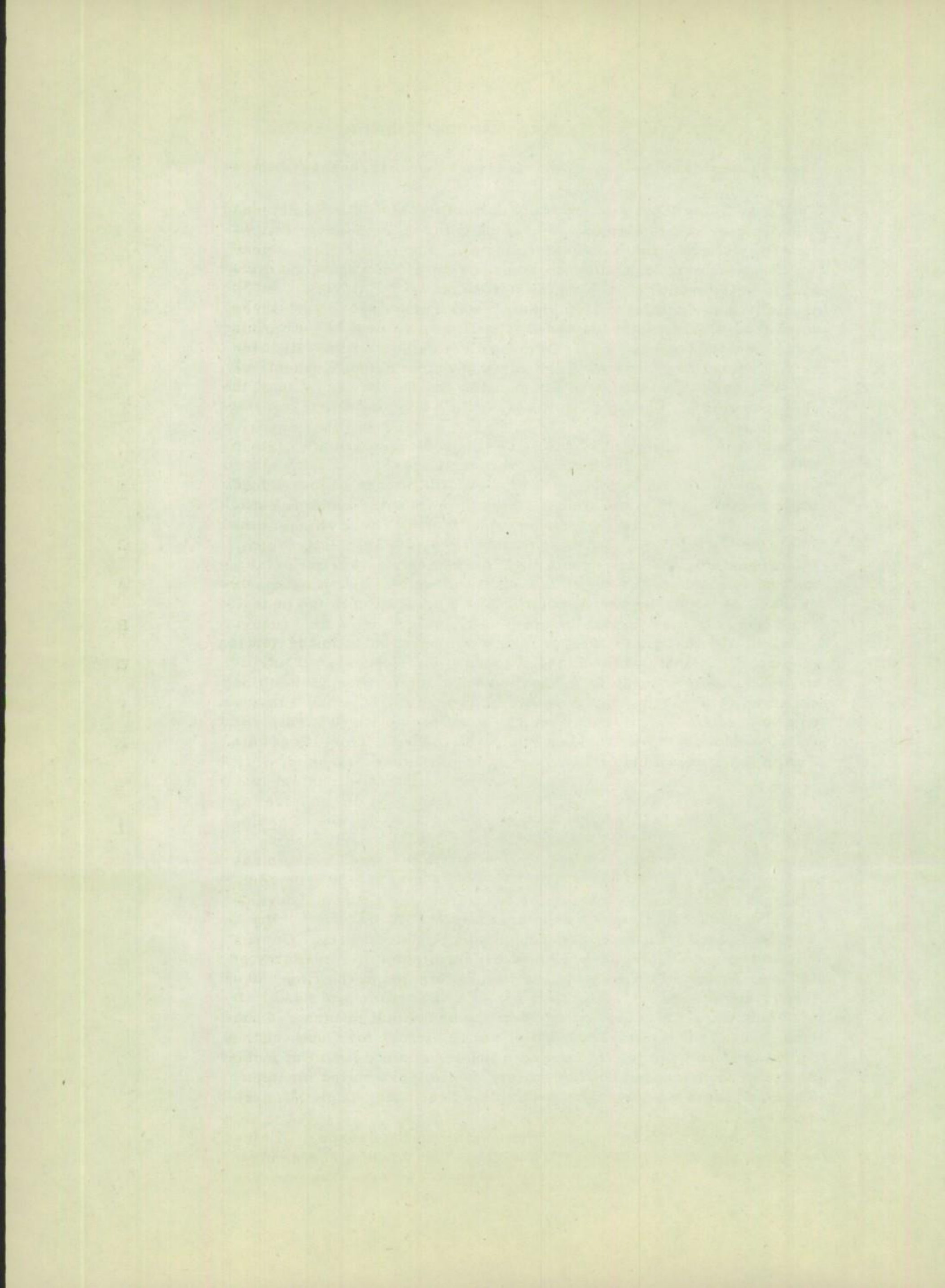
With the last game over, trophies were presented to the winning teams. First place of the Class B tournament went to Ellisville, and second place trophy to Table Grove. In the Class A division, the championship trophy was presented to Youngblood, the Farmington captain. Second place trophy went to Phillips, of Lewistown, and third, to Morrison, of London Mills. This ended the 1947 annual Fulton County Basketball Tournament at the Cuba Gymnasium.

REGIONAL TOURNAMENT

The annual Regional Tournament was held at Canton during the week of March 4 through March 7.

In the opening games on Tuesday, Farmington played Elmwood, while Lewistown tangled with Brimfield. The second evening found Canton engaged with Glasford, and the Cuba Cardinals playing Fairview. These first two evenings found four teams eliminated and brought about the semi-finals on Thursday, with the winners of games one, two, three, and four fighting to be in the finals on Friday night. Winners of games five and six played Friday night to take the Regional Tournament and advance to the Sectional, which was also held at Canton.

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BASKETBALL SEASON OF 1946 AND 1947

Cuba High School's varsity basketball team was bolstered with last year's B team members, along with two returning lettermen, Franc Krohe and Wilbur McClaughry. The B team last year won twenty-one of twenty-three games, so the varsity had good material to build around the returning lettermen.

Cuba started off at a very good pace, winning the first three games from Vermont, Ipava, and Bushnell, rolling over the opponents without stiff competition. In these first games all the first ten players saw a lot of action. Then came our first setback, when we were beaten by Lewistown, with a score of 35-31.

The varsity then gained its fourth triumph in five starts, against a fighting and determined London Mills five, nosing out the opposition by one point. Against a smooth, skilled Farmington quintet Cuba received its second defeat of the season.

The last week before Christmas vacation Cuba won one, and lost one, winning from a weak Astoria team on their gym, which is rather small and hard to play on. Then, winding up the last games before vacation, Cuba lost to a tall and speedy Corpus Christi team, of Galesburg.

Cuba came back after vacation in the same manner. Losing a hard fought game to the London Mills varsity was the beginning. Cuba then came back into the winning column by scoring an unexpected victory over Lewistown, and then defeating a Bushness five in the following week.

Cuba's team traveled to Avon for its next opposition. Here Cuba was nosed out 31-29. Several boys fouled out before the playing time ended. The last game before the Fulton County Tournament found Cuba overthrowing a tough Fairview quintet. This was the first time Cuba had beaten Fairview in the past three seasons.

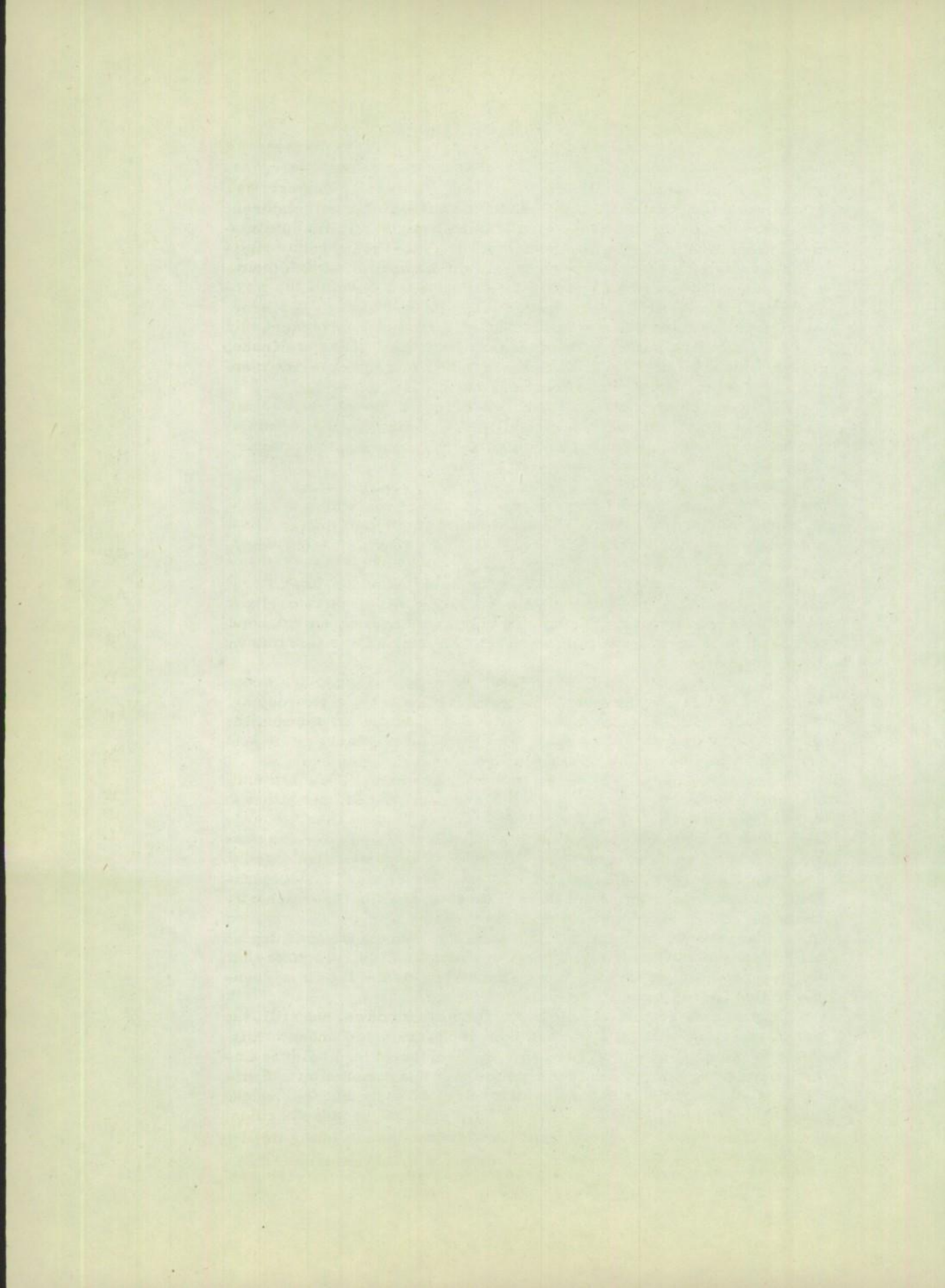
Then came the long-awaited County Tournament. Cuba did not play until the second evening of the Tournament, and did not live up to their expectations. With three Cuba players leaving the game, two with injuries, and one fouling out, Cuba lost a heartbreaking as well as a backbreaking contest to Fairview. The game became rather rough in the last half, perhaps the roughest of the Tournament. This setback eliminated a sad Cuba team from the County Tournament.

Cuba, recovering from the Tournament, defeated the Corpus Christi varsity at Galesburg, by fast breaking and fair accuracy at the hoop. Then the Farmington varsity, undefeated at the time, over-ran Cuba 65-29.

On perhaps the coldest evening of the basketball season Cuba journeyed to Ipava. This looked like a sure victory for Cuba at the end of the third quarter, for we had a fourteen point lead. But in the last frame Cuba scored but four points, while Ipava netted nineteen points, to take a one-point lead, which held good the last few seconds.

Though Cuba had broken the jinx earlier in the season, Fairview downed Cuba for their ninth setback. This made a percentage

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BASKETBALL SEASON OF 1946 AND 1947

of 500, with nine losses and nine victories. The next contest was much like a practice session. Cuba used substitutes freely in beating Vermont 96-28, the highest score Cuba has run up for quite a few years. The last scheduled game of the 1946-1947 season resulted in a Cuba victory over a scrappy and determined Astoria team.

In an extra pre-Tournament game Havana led Cuba all the way, to be set back 48-41.

On March 5, Cuba entered the Canton Regional Tournament by playing Fairview, winner of Prairie City District. Franc Krohe, Jack Shryock, Larry Clifford, and Wilbur McClaughry played their last high school game in this Tournament.

The Cuba Reserves of the High School won ten and lost ten games throughout the 1946-1947 basketball season, while the Varsity gained eleven victories against ten defeats.

FULTON COUNTY BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

On Wednesday morning, January 22, the first day of the first game of the 1947 annual Fulton County Basketball Tournament, one of the most interesting pep assemblies was held in Cuba Community High School.

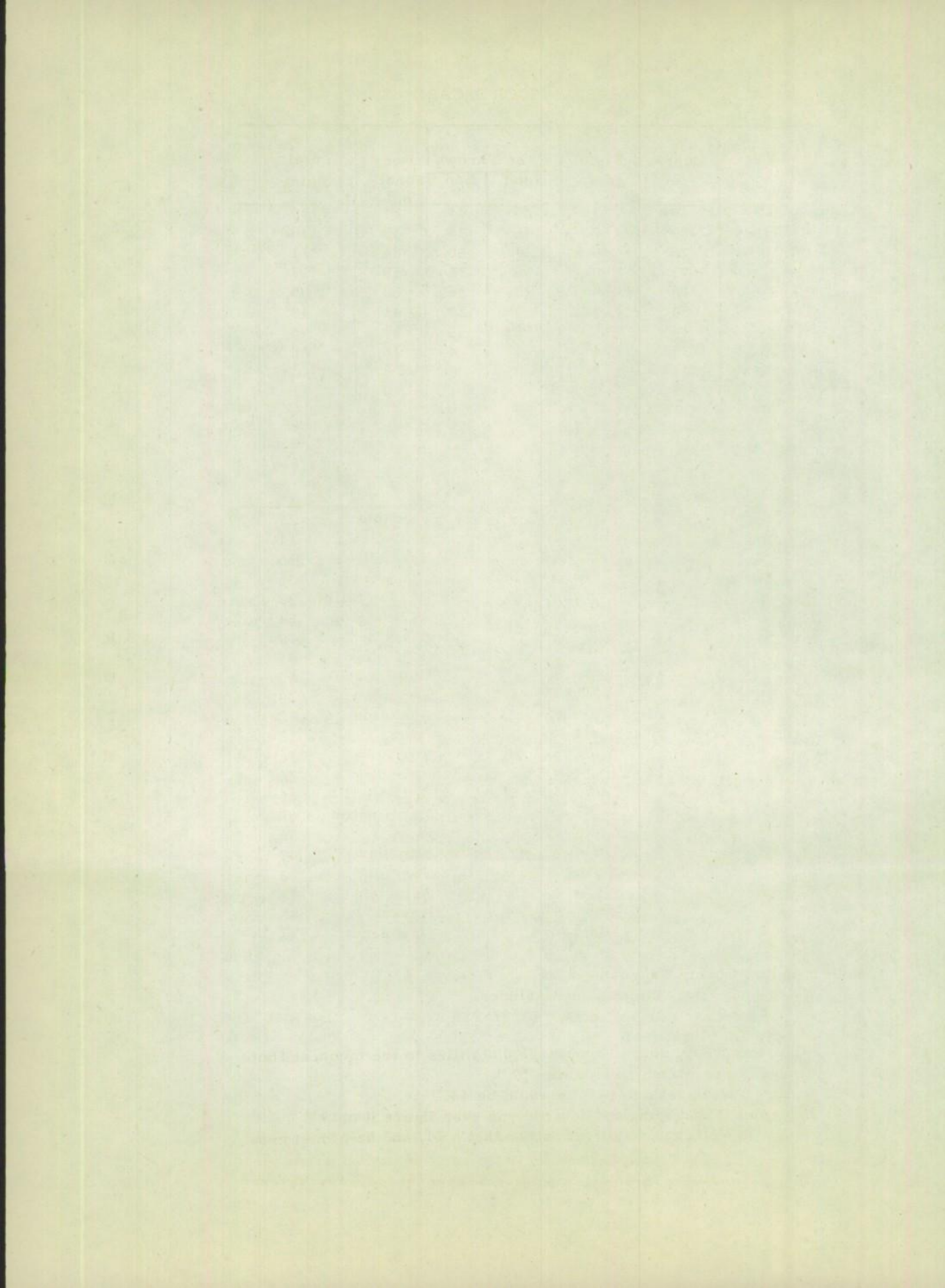
The program included vocal solos by Vera Clayberg and cornet solos by Mr. Marvin. A panel discussion was held upon the subject, "What Cuba Can Do to Make the 1947 Fulton County Tournament the Best Ever." James Sosey, Eunice Clayberg, Miss Barbre, Clara Black and Mr. Veach took part.

To open the 1947 annual Fulton County Basketball Tournament, Fairview downed Astoria 34-28 in a close contest. Astoria, although not rated so high, kept Fairview fighting all the way. Then, second, and most thrilling of the evening, was the Farmington and Avon contest, with Farmington being the victor by fifteen points, the score standing 43-28 at the final gun. In this contest Repp, of Avon, established best free throw percentage, by making seven of seven charity throws. The third and last game of the evening saw Lewistown down Ipava 51-41. Azbell, of Ipava, kept his team in the running up till the last quarter, netting twenty-four points. It is estimated that 1,200 people packed into the Cuba Gymnasium to see the first evening of the Tournament.

The second evening found not quite so big a crowd, but still the gymnasium was filled. The more than 1000 fans saw London Mill beat Vermont by 49-28. Then came the heartbreaking game for Cuba fans; seeing their team beaten in the last few minutes by Fairview. Cuba, six nights before, had downed Fairview; but during the Tournament several Cuba boys were not up to par, because of colds. Cuba led during the first half, but Fairview came back in the third period to gain the lead, then widen the margin by seven points.

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VARSITY SCORE CARD

Players	Quar- ters	Field goals	Free Throws		Per- sonal Fouls	Total Points
			Good	Bad		
Sosey	79	75	29	44	21	179
McClaughry	79	57	16	34	33	130
Melvin	76	45	31	50	84	121
Foster	73	40	38	35	58	118
Clifford	48	34	22	28	68	90
Krohe	54	20	9	27	41	49
Townslay	44	19	8	5	31	46
Harrison	33	14	1	4	16	28
Shryock	13	1	0	2	6	2
Vance	1	0	1	1	0	1

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1946-1947

November 26	Cuba 63	Vermont 27
November 27	Cuba 29	Ipava 21
December 3	Cuba 38	Bushnell 18
December 6	Cuba 31	Lewistown 35
December 10	Cuba 33	London Mills 32
December 13	Cuba 24	Farmington 54
December 17	Cuba 45	Astoria 29
December 20	Cuba 33	C. Christi 45
January 3	Cuba 47	London Mills 50
January 7	Cuba 43	Lewistown 29
January 10	Cuba 37	Bushnell 22
January 14	Cuba 29	Avon 31
January 17	Cuba 40	Fairview 36
*January 22	Cuba 23	Fairview 26
January 31	Cuba 30	C. Christi 26
February 4	Cuba 29	Farmington 65
February 7	Cuba 35	Ipava 36
February 11	Cuba 27	Fairview 47
February 14	Cuba 96	Vermont 28
February 18	Cuba 48	Astoria 39
February 28	Cuba 41	Havana 48
**Total	Cuba 821	Opponents 744

* Fulton County Tournament.

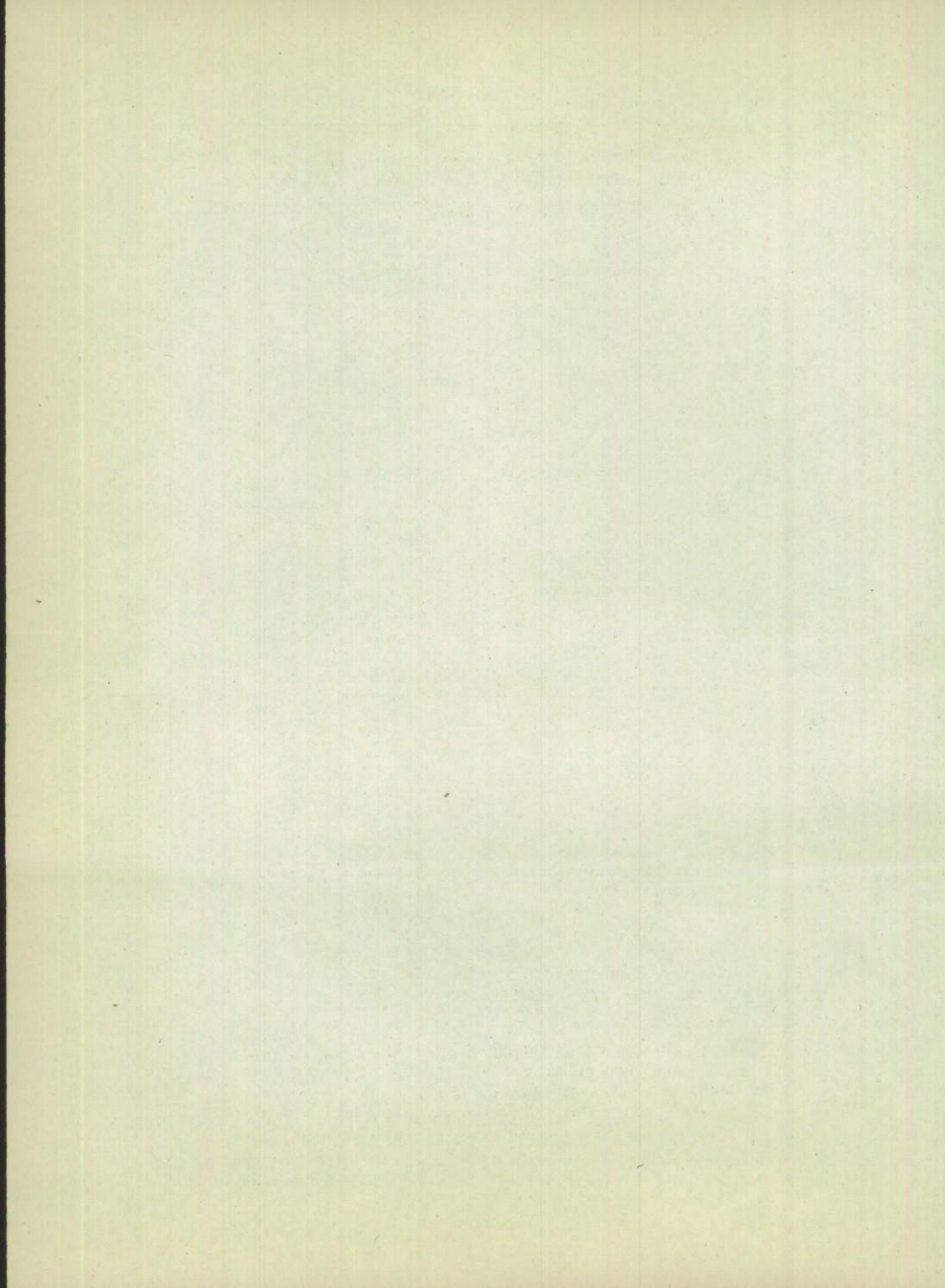
** Regional Tournament game excluded.

Moron: "Say, son, if it was 186,000 miles to the moon, and butter was 87¢ per pound, how old am I?"

Bill: "Well, let's see--you would be 42."

Moron: "That's right! How did you ever figure it out?"

Bill: "Well, you've got a brother that's 21, and he's half crazy."





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IN PRAISE OF CUBA

VICTORY MARCH

We're loyal to you, Cuba High,
We're red and we're white, Cuba High
We'll back you to stand 'gainst the best in the land,
For we know you have sand, Cuba High!

Rah! Rah!

So fling in that ball, Cuba High,
We're backing you all, Cuba High,
Our team is our fame protector:
On Boys for we expect a victory
From you, Cuba High,

Cha He! Cha Ha! Cha Ha Ha Ha! Go Cuba High!

Cha He! Cha Ha! Cha Ha Ha Ha! Go Cuba High!

Fling out that dear old flag of red and white,
Lead on your sons and daughters fighting for right,
Like men of old, On giants!
Placing reliance, Shouting defiance--

Os-key-wow-wow!

A-mid the broad green plains that nourish our land,
For honest Labor and for Learning we stand,
And unto you we pledge our heart and hand,
Dear Alma Mater, Cuba High.

CUBA HIGH LOYALTY

Raise your voice in praise of Cuba,
Give to her the honor due.
We will always stand beside her,
For we're sons and daughters true.

Rah! Rah!

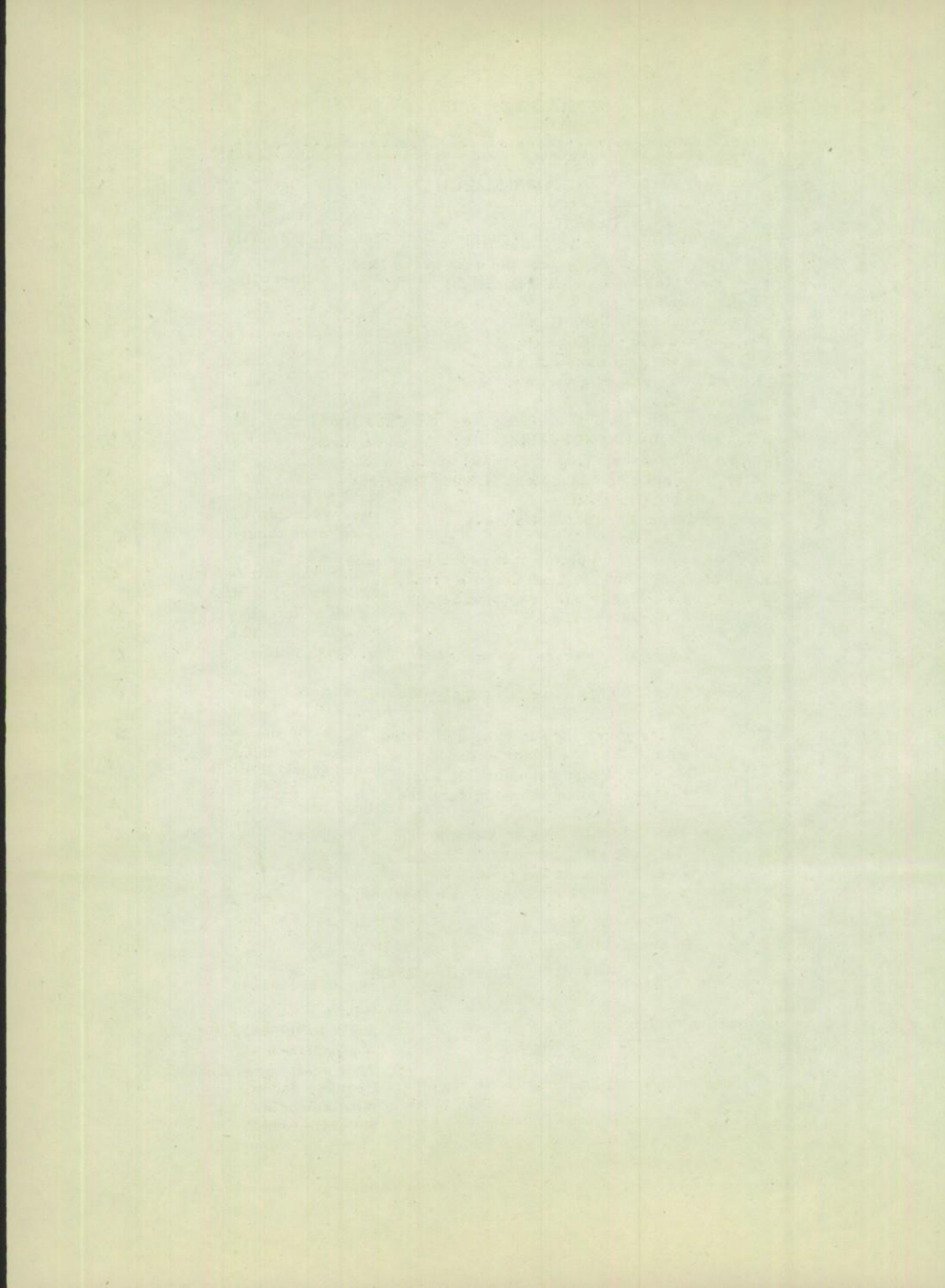
Through each loss or victory,
We pledge our loyalty;
Ever looking to the right,
For we're proud of the Red and White.

OUR FAVORITE SCHOOL YELLS

Yeah-red,
Yeah-white,
Yeah-Cuba,
Let's fight!

Os-key wow-wow
Skinny wow-wow
Cuba wow!!!

Beat me daddy
Eight to the bar.
We gotta team
That really goes far.
Beat me daddy
With a boogie-beat.
We gotta team
That's all reet!!!



TRACK TEAM

First row--Bob Herriford, Doyle Waughtel, Dick McCloskey, Wilbur McClaughry, Max Foster.

Second Row--Everitt Vander Hamm, Bill Vaughn, Mr. Gilbert D. Veach, Coach.

TRACK

Eight boys reported for track this year. Among them three lettermen from last year's squad, Dick McCloskey, Bill Vaughn and Wilbur McClaughry. Others reprotng were Max Foster, Bill Fry, Bob Herriford, Doyle Waughtel and George Johnson.

On May 6, the Fulton County Track and Field Meet was held at Lewistown in which Cuba participated among the other schools of the county. As many meets as possible were scheduled, even though there was a small squad.

An annual event at Cuba Community High School is the intraclass Track and Field Meet with all four classes participating, if they desire. Last spring, several boys took a great deal of interest in this meet which showed some very good talent and ability. The order in which the classes placed last spring of 1946 were: Seniors, Freshmen, Sophomores and then the Juniors. Although there was such a small number to choose from, Mr. Veach did his part to produce a physically fit track team.

Last spring, 1946, baseball and track were both taken up as spring sports, but do to lack of interest baseball was discontinued. There are a few boys that would like to see baseball and track both brought up as a major sport such as basketball and football, but there are not enough boys that will show interest so that these sports can be placed in the curriculum.

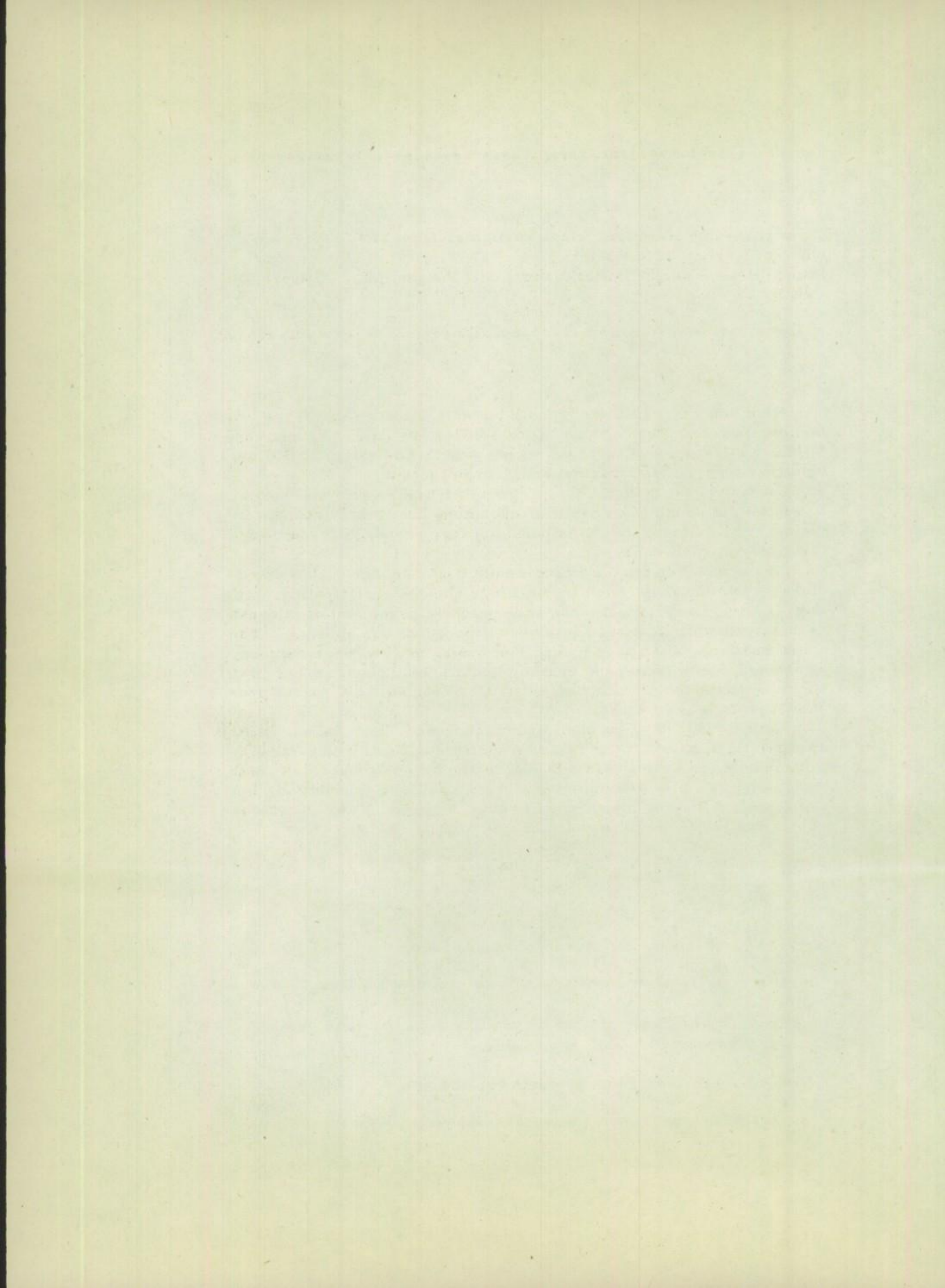
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CHEERLEADERS

Beverly Black, Donna Keefauver, Joan Clayberg.

Jack Shryock: Marilyn, how would you like to have a pet monkey?
Marilyn Wenger: Oh! This is so sudden.

A girl at a basketball game is worth two at home.





George Melvin

He is a Junior and better known as Sonny. He plays guard and is a good offensive player, usually coming through with the several points per game. His average is 6.05 points per game; stands 5'9 1/2" and is the shortest of the varsity five, weighing 145 pounds.

Wilbur McClaughry

Wilbur is a Senior and the Captain of the Varsity team. He played the left forward position on the team, and this year completes his second year on the team. He stands 5'11" and weighs 169 pounds; his average for the season was 6.5 points per game.

James Sosey

Jimmy is a Junior, and this is his first season on the varsity squad playing center. He is 6'2" and weighs 162 pounds. Jim is the highest scorer on the team and with a game average of 8.95 points per game, his efforts were good as a rebounder.

Max Foster

Max is a Junior tipping the scales at 158 pounds and stands 5'11 1/2" in height. As a forward, he averages 5.9 points per game and along with Jim Sosey, Sonny Melvin he completed his first year well. He is a good rebounder and defensive player.

Franc Krohe

Franc is a Senior and this is his third year on the Cuba Varsity; playing a guard position, he is also a very good ball handler and defensive player. His height is 5'10" and weighs 135 pounds. He came through with an average of 2.9 points per game.

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George Melvin

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Wilbur McCloughry

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James Soocy

James is a Junior, and this is his first season on the Varsity squad playing center. He is 6'2" and weighs 165 pounds. Jim is the high scorer on the team and with a game average of 4.35 points per game, his efforts were good as a rebounder.

Max Foster

Max is a Junior filling the center at 155 pounds and stands 5'11 1/2" in height. As a forward, he averages 5.25 points per game and along with Jim Soocy, Sonny Melvin he completed his first year well. He is a good rebounder and defensive player.

Franc Krobe

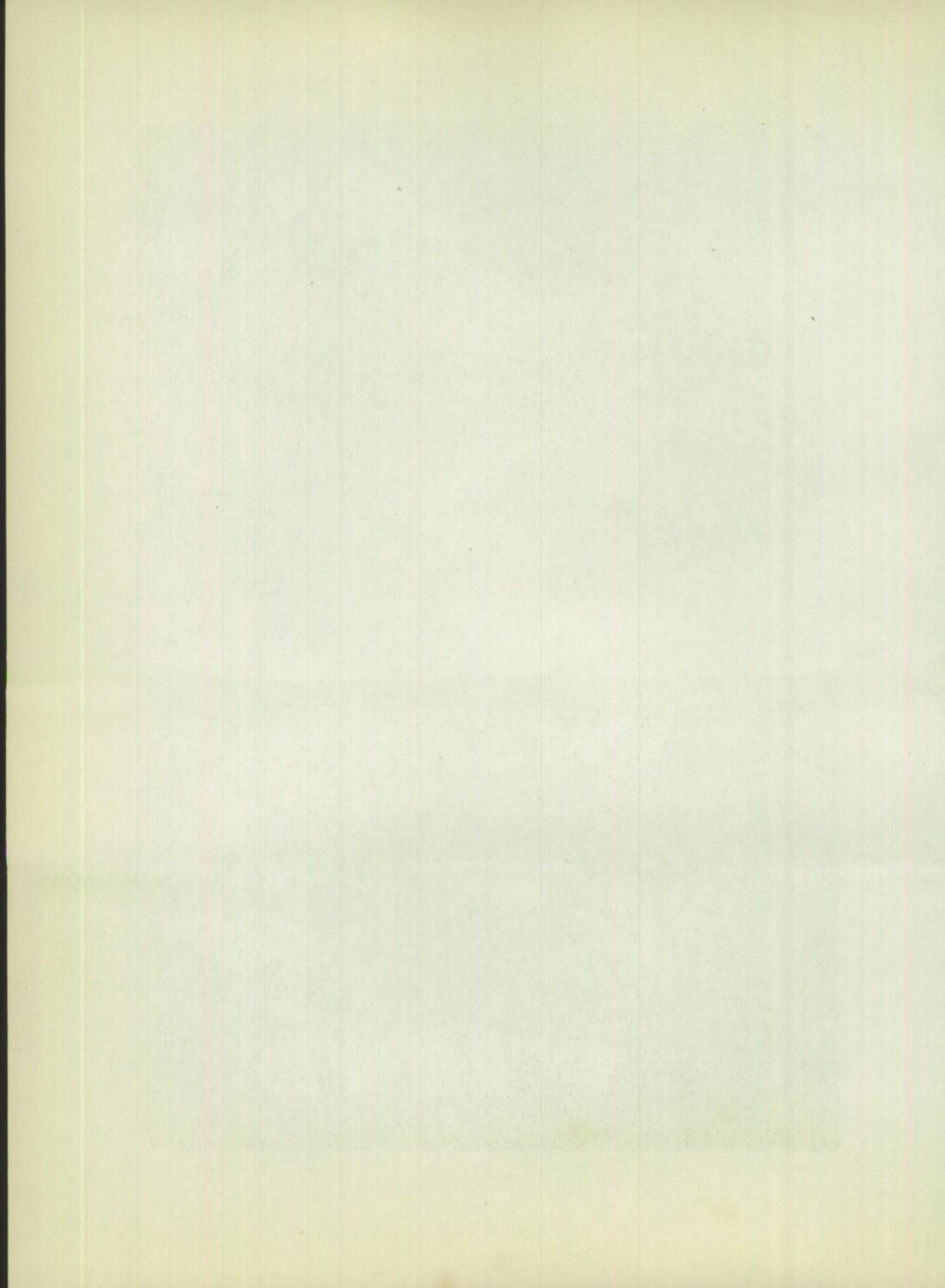
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FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

First row - Margaret Buston, Donna Bell, Mavis A. Ault,
Elaine Keefauver, Thelma Howerter, Alice Pickett, Virginia
Lafary, Marcia Smith, Donna Keefauver, Harriet Pilcher,
Shirley Lafary.

Second row - Miss Helen Melvin, Advisor, Leona Taylor, Joanne
Robinson, Charlotte Zimmerman, Joanne Lundry, Alma Sweney,
Pauline Rock, Caroline Joachim, Ann Buchen, Margaret Kline, Doris
Miller, Barbara Paul, Fanny Gilmore, Mary Hart.

Third row - Billie Hess, Sylvia Vice, Lila Rilea, Eleanor Allen,
Arlene Johnson, Emma Johnson, Joyce Stell, Lela Fidler, Betty
Pascal, Evelyn Carpenter, Betty Smith, Beulah Helle, Lonita John-
son, Ruby Hopkins.

Fourth row - Joyce Stevenson, Shirley McCloskey, Roalyn Yocum,
Marjorie Foulk, Wilma Little, Dorothy Little, Kathryn Strode,
Bette Herriford, Mae Hale, Betty Whitman, Colleen Myers, Barbara
Sorrells, Louella Foster, Verna France, Charlotte Ackerson.

F. F. A.-F. H. A. Parents' Night was on April 18 in the Gymnasium.

FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

First row-Donald Haggerty, Billie Fry, Ivan Hebb, Donald Foulk,
Leonard Hilton, Elmer Phelps, Hugh Kline, Carl Phelps, James
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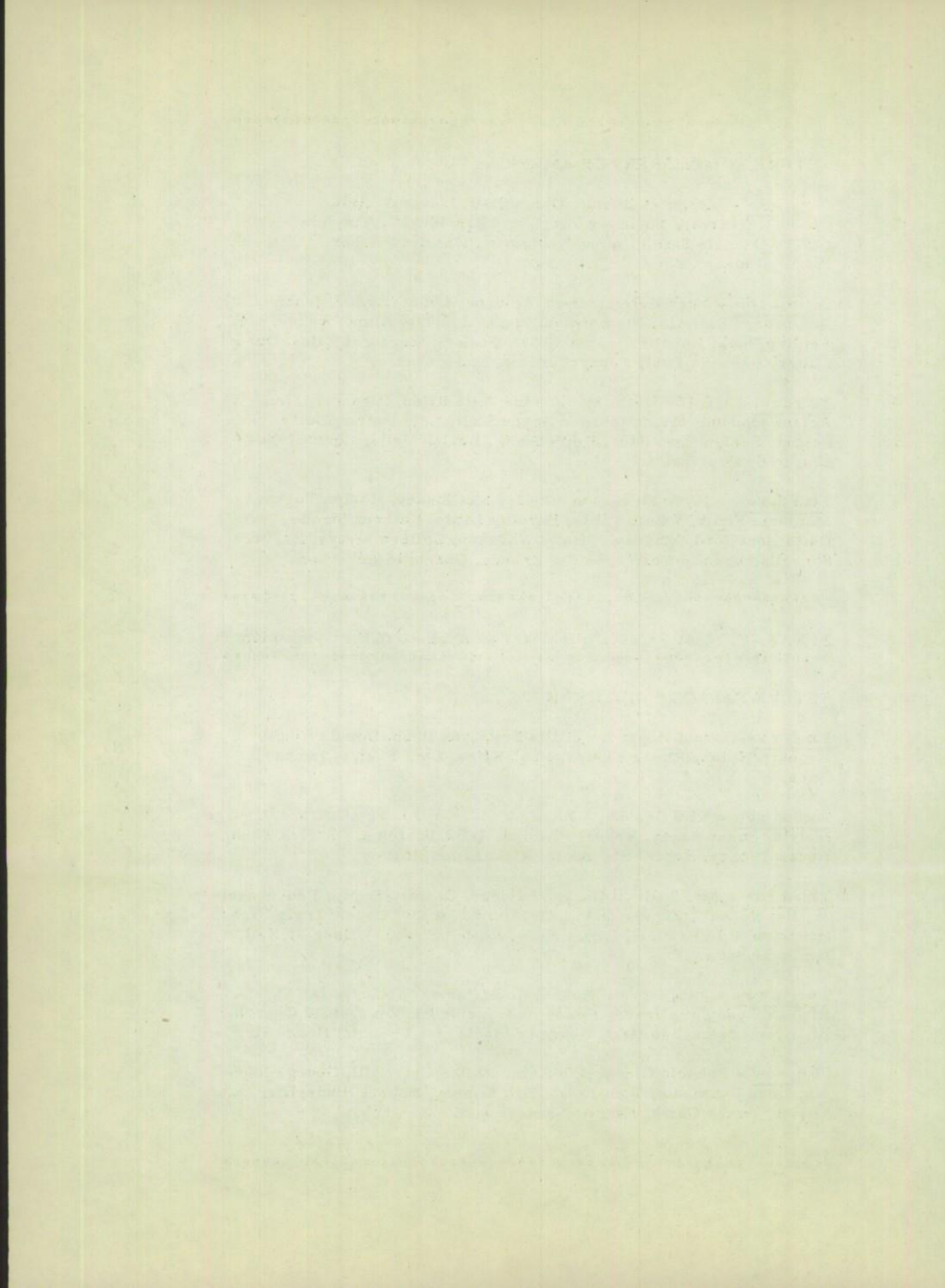
Second row - Kile Brooks, Wilbur McClaughry, Larry Clifford, George
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Harrison, Ray Francis, James Hess, Lowell Bryan, Wilbur McNeil,
James Munson.

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FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA

The Cuba Chapter F. F. A. was organized by William R. Queen, the vocational agriculture teacher, in 1929, with an enrollment of eighteen members. The classroom at that time was the present typing room, and the Farm Shop was across the street in an old barn. In 1940, a new building was erected containing a classroom, an office, a laboratory, and a shop which is rated as the best equipped in Illinois.

The enrollment in 1947 is sixty-one active members, carrying over 100 projects, including sheep, swine, dairy, beef, horses, poultry, ducks, garden, rabbits, and grain projects. Officers of 1946-1947 are: Charles Thum, President; Burce Sweney, Vice President; Bob Stevenson, Secretary; Harvey Henderson, Treasurer; Richard Spangler, Reporter; and Hobart Hinderliter, Assistant Reporter.

In June of 1946, four teams from Cuba competed in State F.F.A. Judging Contest at the University of Illinois, and all four teams received A ratings. The members of the teams included: Dairy--Everitt Vander Hamm, Clifford Bump, Richard Spangler; Fat Stock--Hobart Hinderliter, Bob Pittman, Bob Stevenson; Poultry--Jim Sosey, Ronald Rock; Grain--Bill Sweney, Bruce Sweney, Harvey Henderson.

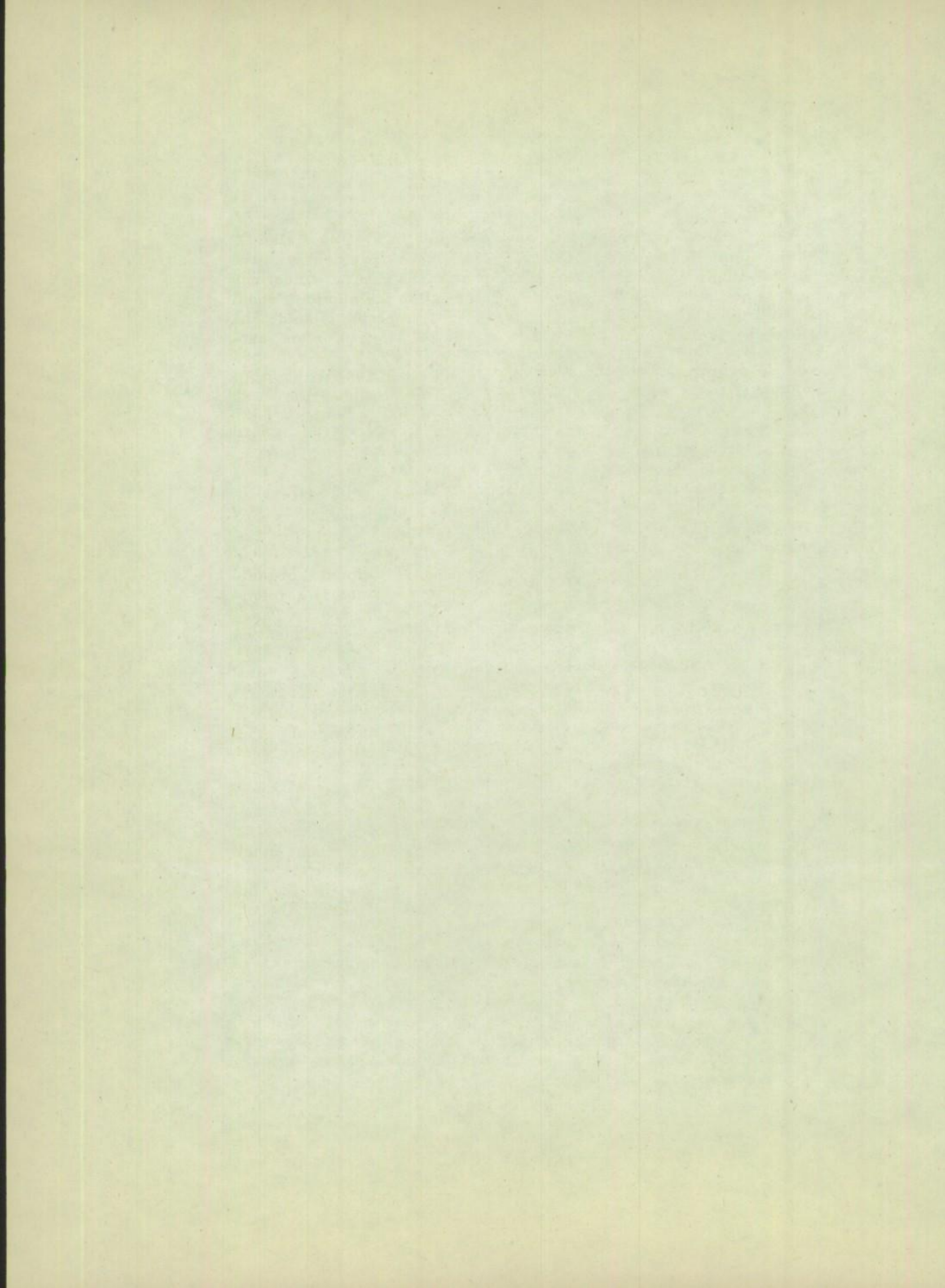
Also, in the Section 8 F. F. A. Grain Judging Contest, Cuba's team placed third, and Bill Sweney was the second highest individual. The members of the team included Bill Sweney, Bruce Sweney, Donald Churchill, Donald Foulk, and Lynn Logan.

At the F. F. A. 4H, and the Open Show at Lewistown, forty-four F. F. A. members exhibited their projects, and received 500 ribbons and over \$1000 in premium money. At the Section 8 F. F. A. Grain Show at Delavan, Cuba received five firsts, six seconds, five thirds, and two fourths in grain entries.

Activities for the year included the F. F. A.-F. H. A. hayride, an F. F. A. basketball team, the F. F. A.-F. H. A. party, the F.F.A.-F.H.A. banquet, and the F. F. A. float exhibit at the Homecoming.

In April Richard Spangler, Harvey Henderson, Bob Stevenson and Charles Thum received the State Farmer Degree, which is given to only 200 boys in Illinois each year.

The curriculum in agricultural education contains courses dealing with a variety of topics. The freshman class studies "ANIMAL HUSBANDRY," dealing with livestock and their judging. The Sophomores study soils, pruning, and ten weeks of woodworking exercises. The Farm Shop class deals with woodworking, soldering, tool sharpening, forge work, electric wiring, painting, and cementing. The Farm Management course includes painting, concrete work, soil testing electric motors, farm accounting, farm mapping, and major repair work. All these subjects help prepare any student to become a better scientific farmer of the land.



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

The Cuba Chapter of F.H.A. was organized in 1945 by Helen L. Melvin, Home Economics teacher. Twelve years previously the club was known as the Cuba Home Ec. Club. The F.H.A. meetings are held on the third Wednesday of each month in the music room with an attendance of 56 members. A business meeting is held and talks on various activities are given by the F.H.A. girls or an outside speaker.

The first Home Economics class was taught in 1935 with Alcila Brown as teacher. In 1937 a house owned by Jacob Hinderliter was purchased by the school board for a Home Arts house. The Home Economics classes previous to this were held in room No. 3 which is now Miss Nessel's room and in the room which is now the Reflector Staff room.

Since 1941 a summer camp has been held for F.H.A. girls at Lake Bloomington. Our chapter has sent two delegates each year. Arlene Johnson and Thelma Howerter were the delegates for the 1945-46 year.

In 1945 the F.H.A. was first established as a National organization. The states were divided into sections and Cuba is a member of Section 12 which includes Fulton, Knox, Mason, and Tazewell counties. Thelma Howerter was the first F.H.A. president of Section 12.

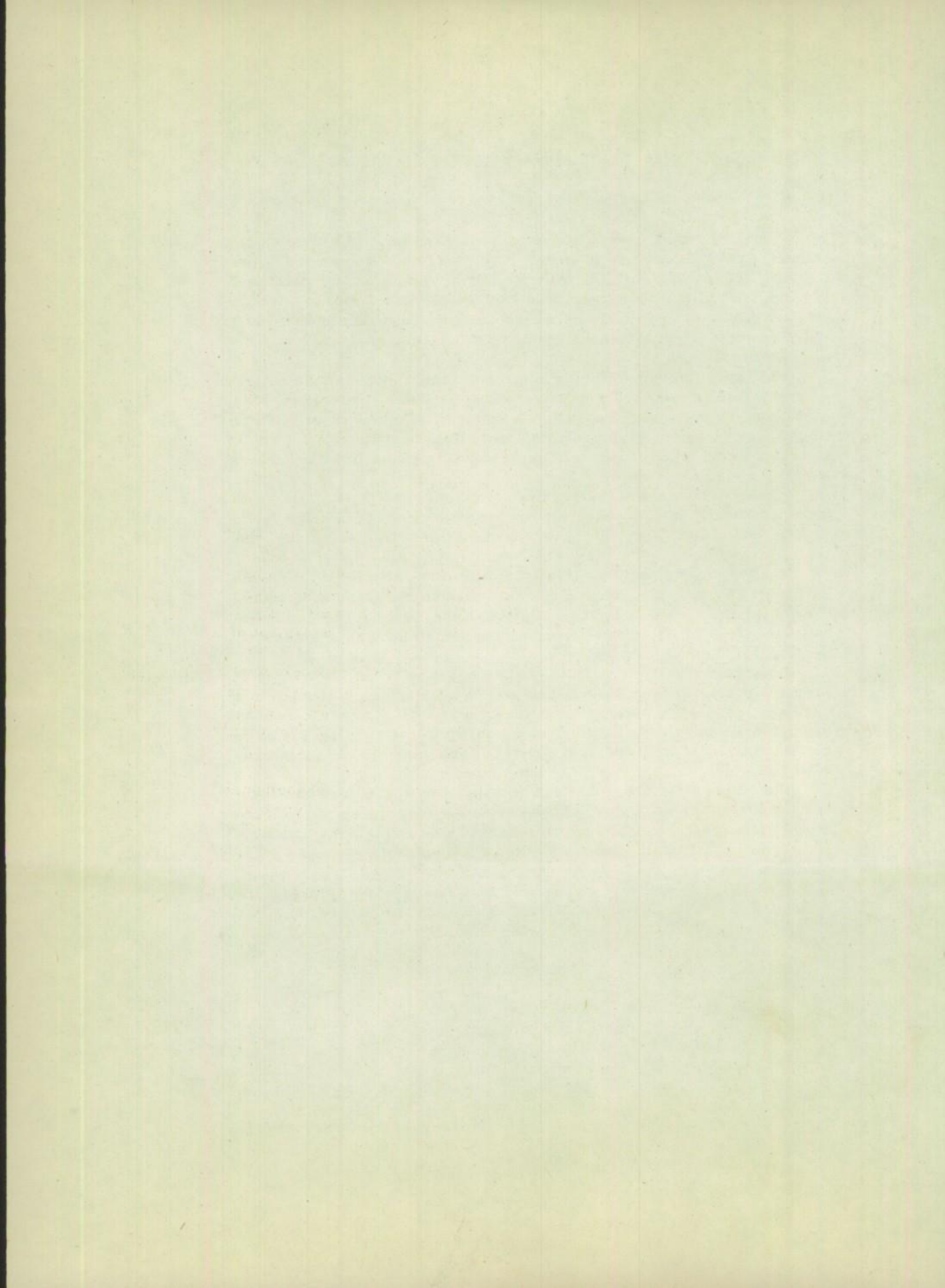
The classes of Homemaking study varied units of work each year. Clothing, foods, home management, good grooming and child care are main units. Minor units may vary with different classes and include such things as consumer buying, home nursing, art principles, interior decoration and others. Each year F.H.A. girls exhibit foods and clothing at the County Fair.

The Home Arts house has six rooms. The upstairs of the house is used for sewing classes and the downstairs for the cooking classes. The kitchen has all modern equipment and Home Arts house is used for Faculty parties, Cuba Women's club meetings and other community meetings.

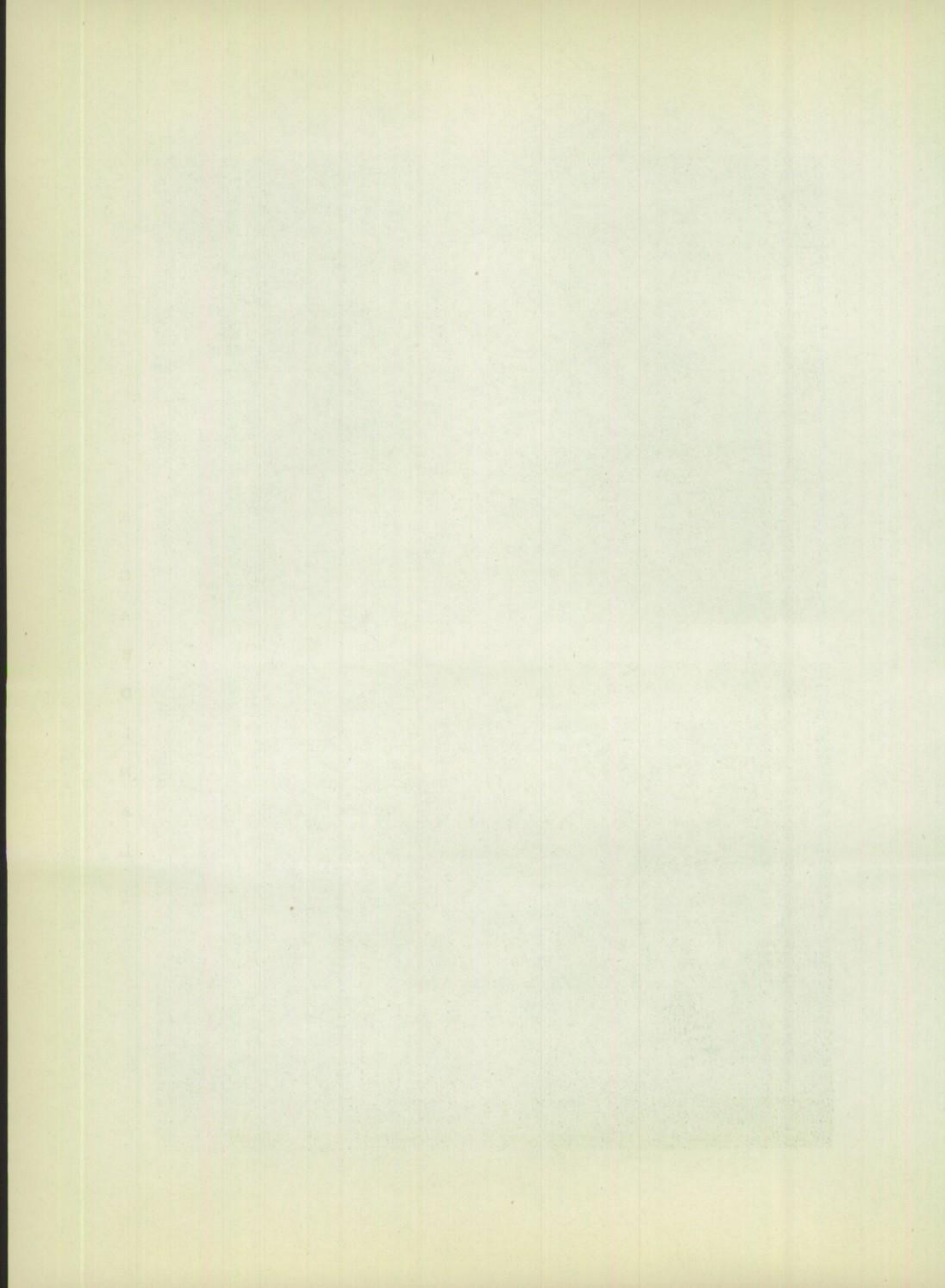
The F.H.A. sponsors one or two all-school parties during the year, F.F.A.-F.H.A. hayride, F.F.A.-F.H.A. formal dance, F.F.A.-F.H.A. Banquet, Mother and Daughter teas and assemblies.

Old King Stutsman is a jolly good feller,
And a jolly old feller is he.
He called for a report card,
He called for an excuse slip,
And then he called for me.

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THE CARDINAL STAFF

First row - left to right - Hobart Hinderliter, Clara Black Bill Sweney, Margaret Amsler, Wilbur McClaughry, Jane Ann Townslay, Larry Clifford.

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We, the staff, hope that this yearbook, THE CARDINAL, shall establish a long and honor custom, in Cuba Community High School.

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Smyrcek, Doris Conine, Donna Bell.



GLEE CLUB

First row - left to right - Lorena Miller, Eunice Clayberg, Vera Clayberg, Betty Graham, Donna Rock, Alice Ann Churchill, Patricia Marchall, Joanne Noble, Rosalie Black, Gladys Joachim.

Second row - Miss Juanita Cantwell, director, Shirlee Harper, Joan Clayberg, Harriet Pilcher, Shirley Cooper, Marilyn Lowe, Anna Marie Huff, Margaret McCaughey, Jane Ann Tounslay, Donna Bell, Joan Jayne, Lela Fidler, Patricia Smith.

Third row - Clarice Burrows, Eleanor Allen, Ronald Rock, Beverly Black, Lynn Logan, Randy Manuel, Bill Fry, Lonita Johnson, Bradford Murphy, Thelma Howerter, Alice Shirley, Betty Hunt.

Fourth row - Benny Strode, James Hess, Doyle Waughtel, John Shaw, Clifford Bump, Hobart Hinderliter, Leon Formhals, James Sosey, Larry Clifford, Bruce Sweney, Max Foster, Robert Williams, Duane Conine, Robert Stevenson, Bill Sweney, Bob Herriford.

Miss Barbre: Now if you can't get that question, Beverly,
why just try hard and think, and if that don't
work try duz, duz dose everything.

Tom Leigh: I heard that fish were good to make brains.

Leon Formhals: What would you advise me to get?

Tom Leigh: A whale!

Vera: Did you ever see anything as fast as that new P-80 airplane?

Franc: I sure have! Why I have seen a man that was just as fast.

Vera: Silly, how could a man be as fast as an airplane?

Franc: Well, anyway he scratched off the seven year itch in 2 years.

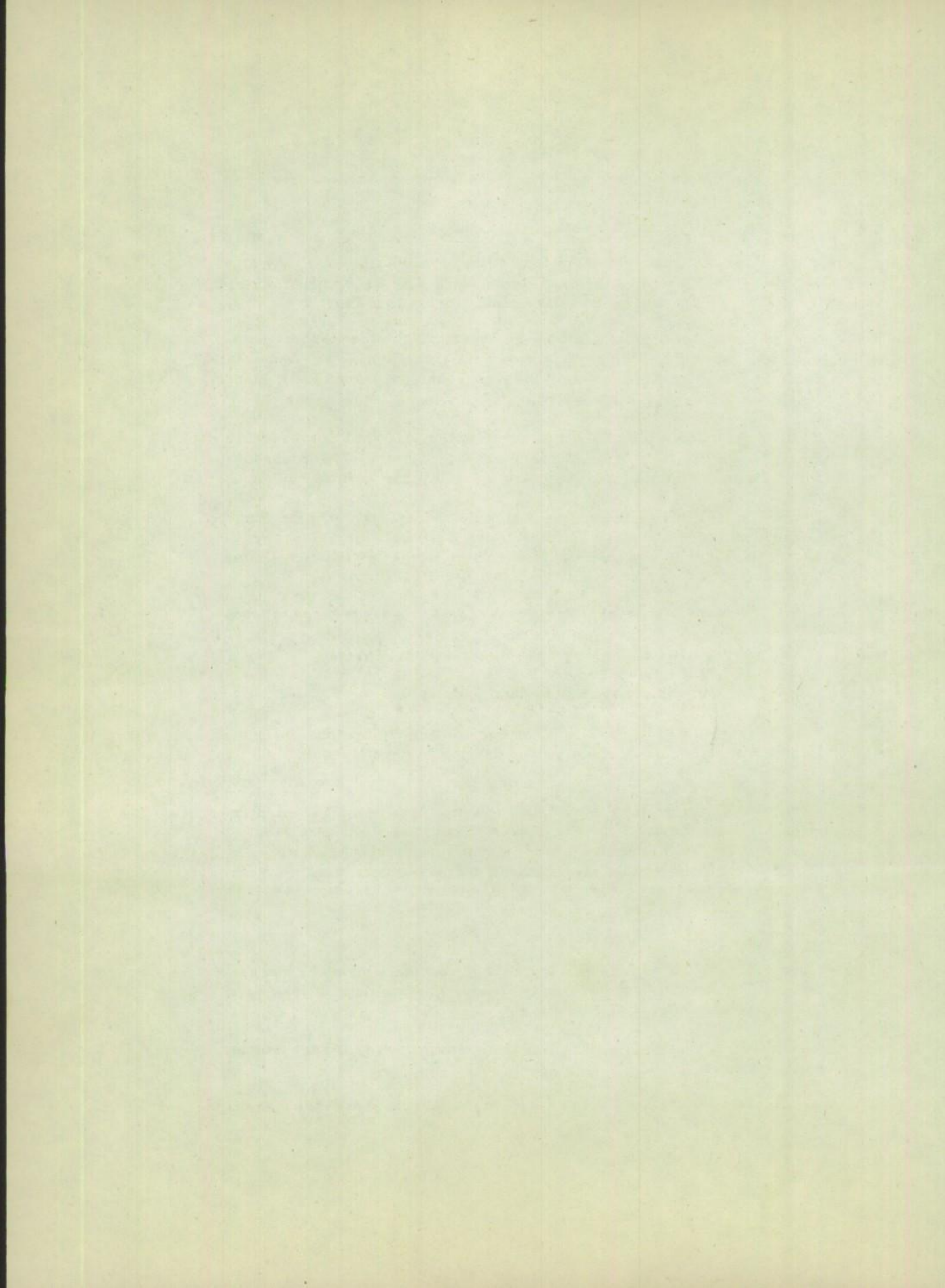
STUDENT COUNCIL

First row - left to right - Shirley Lafary, Eunice Clayberg, Margaret Amsler, Wilber McClaughry, Bill Sweney, Larry Clifford, Jane Ann Townslay, Mr. Harold B. Stutsman.

Second row - Bob Keime, Bob Williams, James Sosey, Bruce Sweney, Randy Manuel.

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"Our Town"

By Thornton Wilder

Junior Play Presented November 15, 1946

First Row - Lela Fidler (Rebecca Gibbs), Max Foster (Dr. Gibbs), Eunice Clayberg (Mrs. Gibbs), Bruce Sweney (George Gibbs), Joanne Noble (Emily Webb), James Sosey (Stage Manager), LaVeta Owens (Mrs. Webb), Bill Vaughn (Mr. Webb), Bob Harrison (Wally Webb).

Second Row - Mr. Fred Ervin Biggs, director, Harvey Henderson (Constable Warren), Clifford Bump (Sam Craig), Tom Leigh (Man in the Auditorium), George Melvin (Baseball Player), Joan Steck (Woman in the Balcony), Leon Formhals (First Dead Man), Jimmy Quick (Simon Stimson).

Third Row - Joanne Robinson (Lady in the Box), Junior Bishop (Assistant Stage Manager), Bob Herriford (Howie Newsome), Junior Sharpe (Joe Stoddard), Shirley Cooper (Mrs. Soames), Ronald Rock (Sid Crowell).

"Professor, How Could You!"

By Ann Coulter Martens

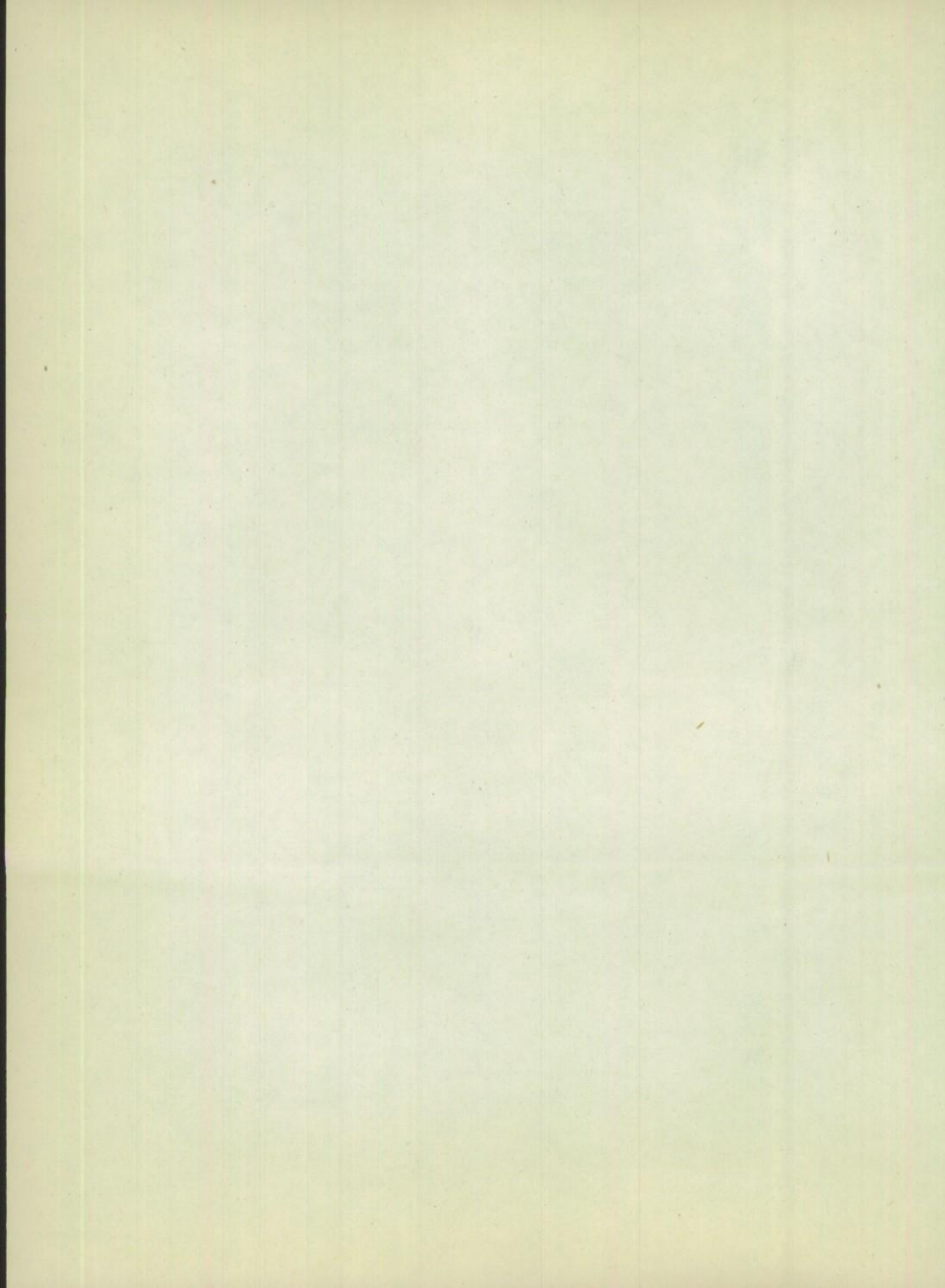
Senior Class Play Presented April 11, 1947

First Row - Mr. Fred Ervin Biggs, director, Betty Herriford (Tootise Bean), Mary Hart (Grandma Perry), Clara Black (Vicky Randolph), Jane Ann Townsley (Priscilla Morley), Donna Bell (Valerie Whitman), Miss Virginia E. Pennell, assistant director.

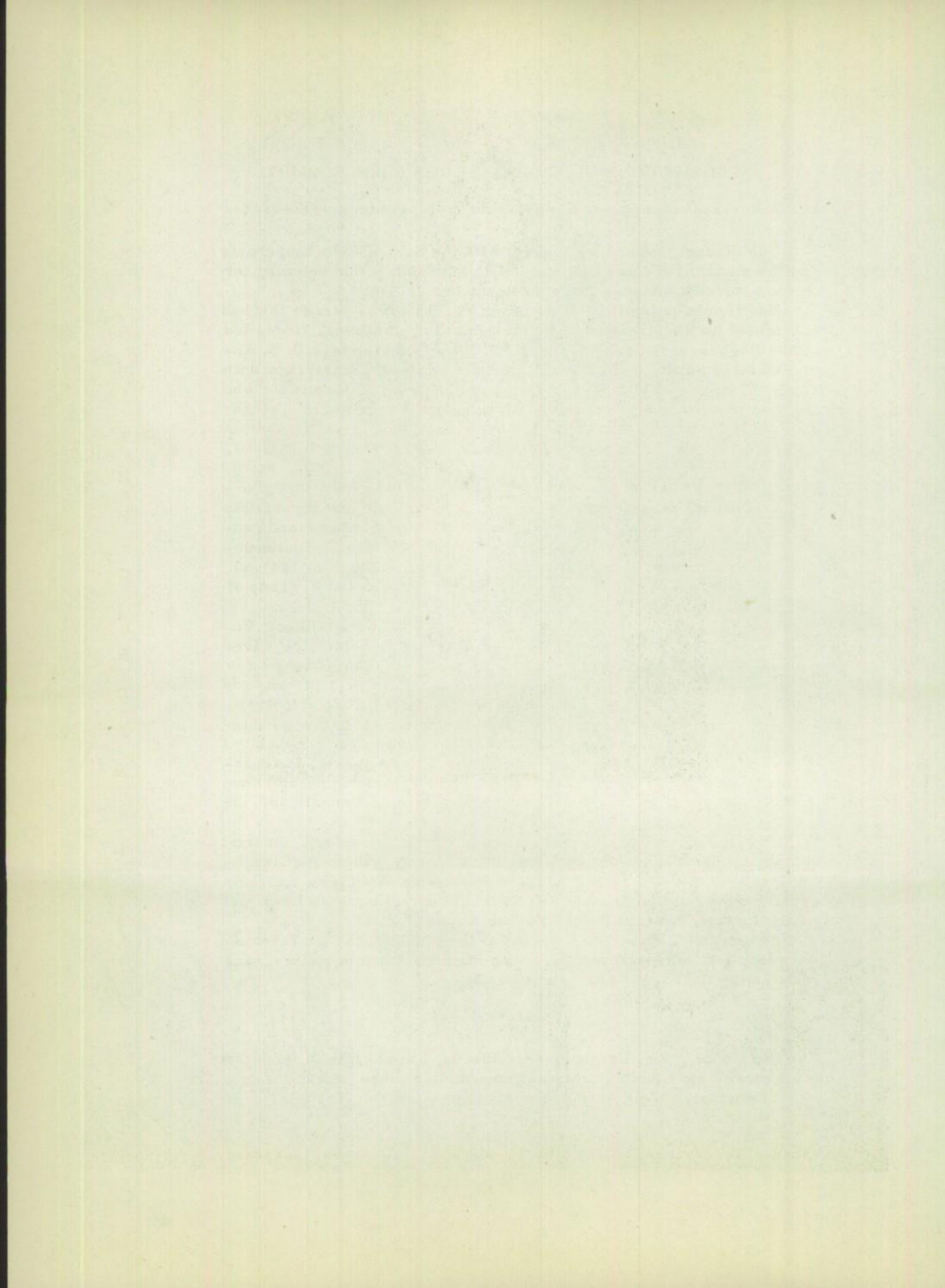
Second Row - Hobart Hinderliter (Boggins), Bill Sweney (Grandpa Perry), Larry Clifford (Keats Perry), Wilbur McClaughry (John Appleby), Jack Shryock (Butcher Boy Bean).

Stewardesses on Western Air Lines planes making regular flights to Wyoming's Grand Teton mountain region were embarrassed by passengers who wanted to know what "Grand Tetons" means in English. Airline officials instructed the girls to tell inquirers that the name can be translated "Sweater Girl Mountains."

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STUDENT COUNCIL SPONSORS CUBA'S HOMECOMING

The Student Council sponsored, with the help of Cuba merchants and the students of Cuba Community High School, a Homecoming for former students and graduates on November 1, 1946.

The Homecoming festivities began at 2:15 with a parade that had assembled on the street south of the agriculture building. It was led by the flagbearers, Carol Evans, U. S. Navy, John Curless, U. S. Army, Charles Smith, U. S. Navy, Clarence Gamm, U. S. Marines, with Shirley Cooper and Joan Jaynes acting as the drum Majorettes who led the much improved school band augmented by members of the Alumni Association. The following organizations entered floats: Freshmen Class, Sophomore Class, Junior Class, Senior Class, F. F. A., F. H. A., Reflector Staff, Chorus, Class of 1882, War Mothers and the grade school marching behind. Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Cordell, of Lewistown, acted as judges, ranking the four leading units as follows: (1) Future Farmers of America, (2) War Mothers and American Legion, (3) Senior Class, (4) Junior Class. The Businessmen's Organization liberally donated prizes amounting to \$47.50. They also arranged for an escort of state policemen and a group of helpers on the athletic field.

Losing to the strong Farmington team 40-0, Coach Gilbert Veach's Cardinals played an inspired and clean game before the largest crowd of football fans ever to assemble on the Shiery-Cole Field. Jack Shyrook, Wilbur McClaughry, and Larry Clifford, as Seniors, played their last home game in inter-scholastic football.

To a crowd of five hundred, Finis Turner's Dance Band of Canton played for three hours of social dancing. The crowd consisted of students, alumni, former students, parents, and guests. Refreshments were sold throughout the evening at the gymnasium entrance by a student committee sponsored by Miss Virginia Pennell, of the faculty.

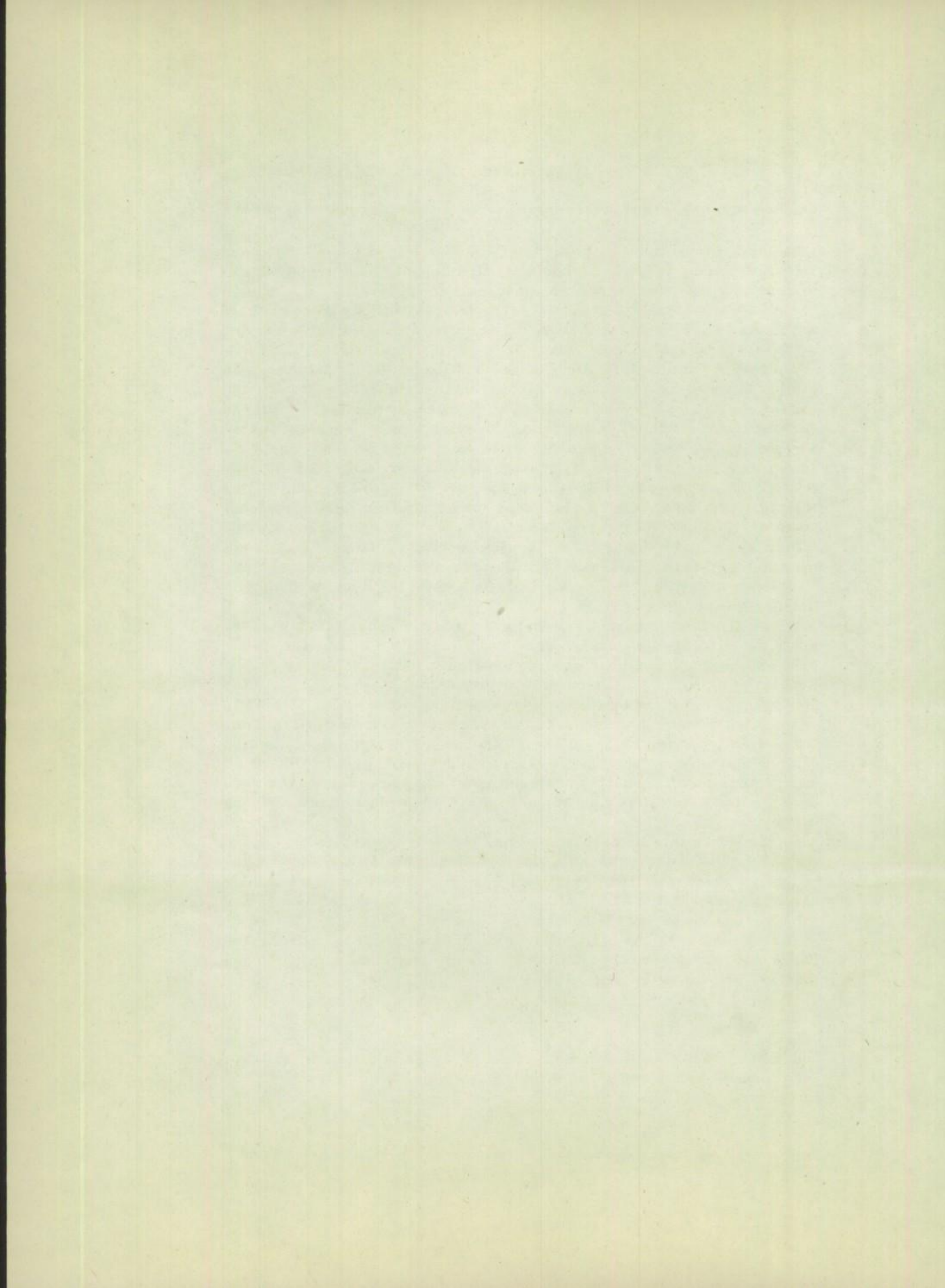
Preceding the Grand March, Miss Jane Ann Townslay, Senior nominee, was crowned as Homecoming Queen by Wilbur McClaughry. Her escort was Bob Harrison. The Queen's attendants and their escorts were: Betty Graham and Bruce Sweney, Marilyn Lowe and Johnny Rankin, Beverly Black and Bob Keime.

At eleven with the dying strains of the music of the orchestra the group left very well satisfied with their first homecoming and anticipating the observance of another.

Bob Harrison: "Mr. Townslay, er--that is, I would like to, er--that is, I mean I have been going with Jane Ann for three years."

Mr. Townslay: "Well, whaddya want--a pension." -

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THE SOCIAL EVENTS OF 1946-1947

September 3. Vacation ends and we must return to the drudgery of school. Hm! We have four new teachers to break in this year.

September 12. We, of the Cuba Community High School elected our class officers. The Seniors elected that very popular boy, Larry Clifford, as president. The Juniors elected that tall, dark, and handsome Bruce Sweney. The Sophomores elected that popular singer, Randall Manuel. The Freshmen elected Bob Keimes because they knew men were born to be leaders.

September 17. Oh! Well, the Freshmen were proud today because three members of their class were elected cheerleaders.

September 19. The Juniors showed their salesmanship by selling magazine subscriptions. George Melvin cornered Mr. Biggs and sold him twenty four dollars worth of magazines. Good reading Mr. Biggs on Esquire.

October 1. All fifty-one of the Juniors tried out for parts in the Junior Class Play which had only twenty-four speaking parts. Good work Juniors!

October 7. F. H. A. and F. F. A. went together and had a hayride. What a moon!

October 14. Reverend Yates came and brought all of his trophies with him. He told about the Western World and we all bought some coins from him.

October 15. The play cast went to court to see that justice would be done. Bruce Sweney had to pay \$7.50 for parking in a non-parking area. Mr. Biggs, you wasn't a good defense attorney.

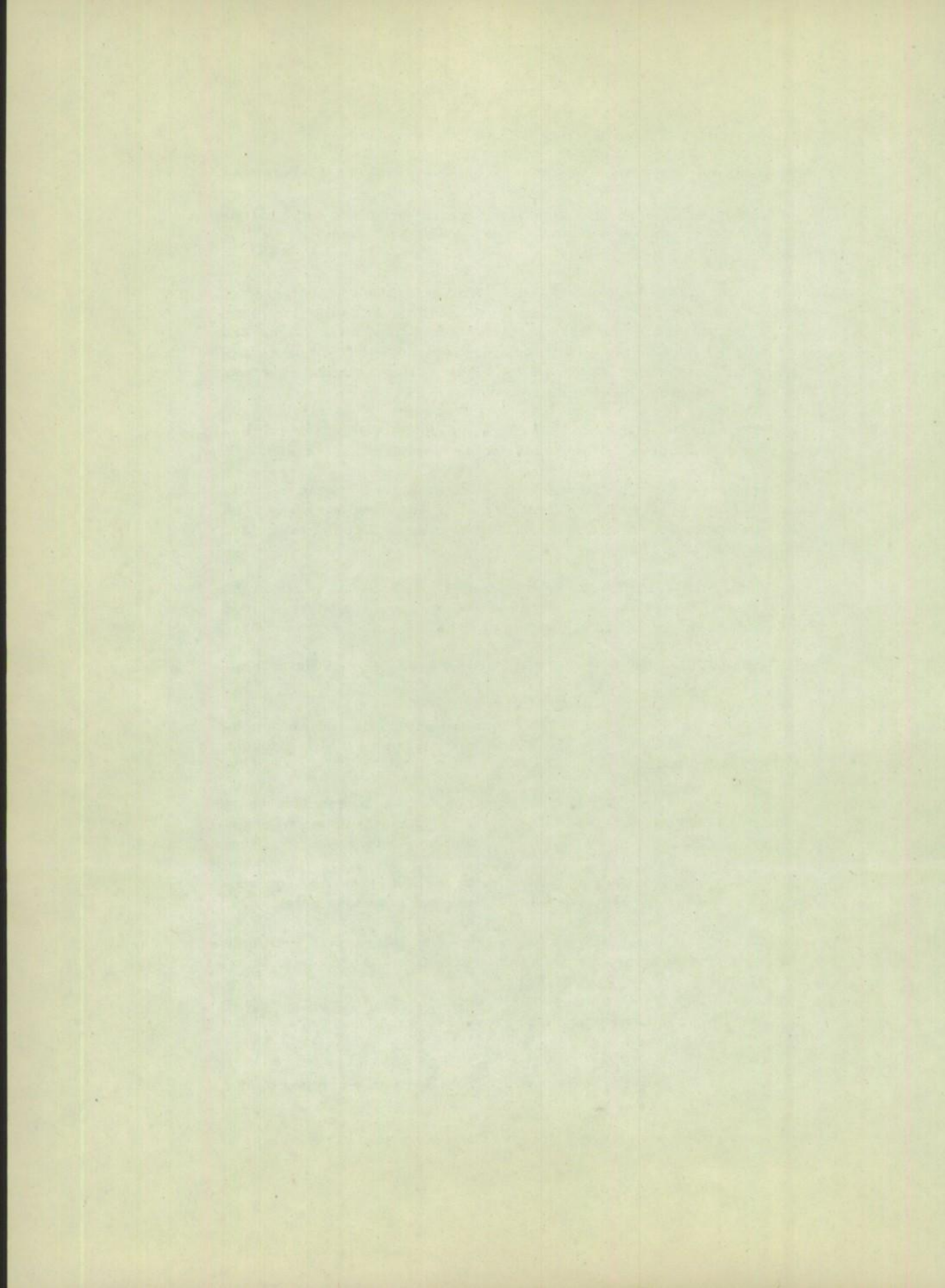
October 16. Nominations were made for Homecoming queen. Everyone counted their pennies as that is what it took to vote.

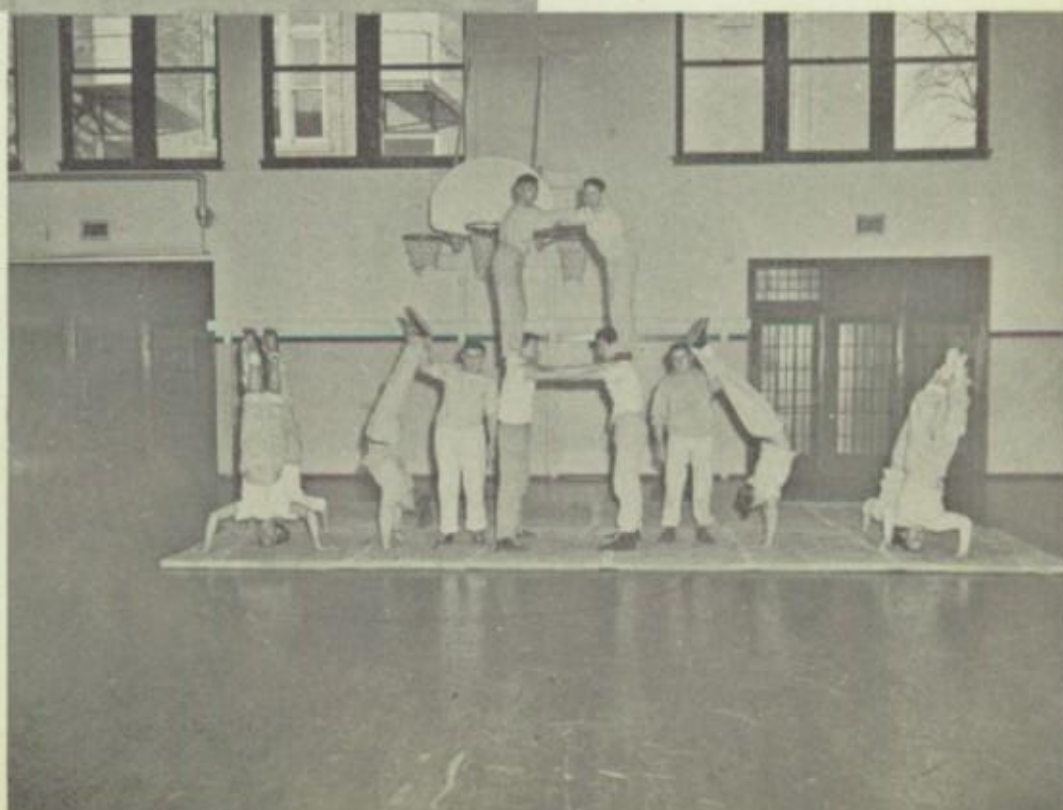
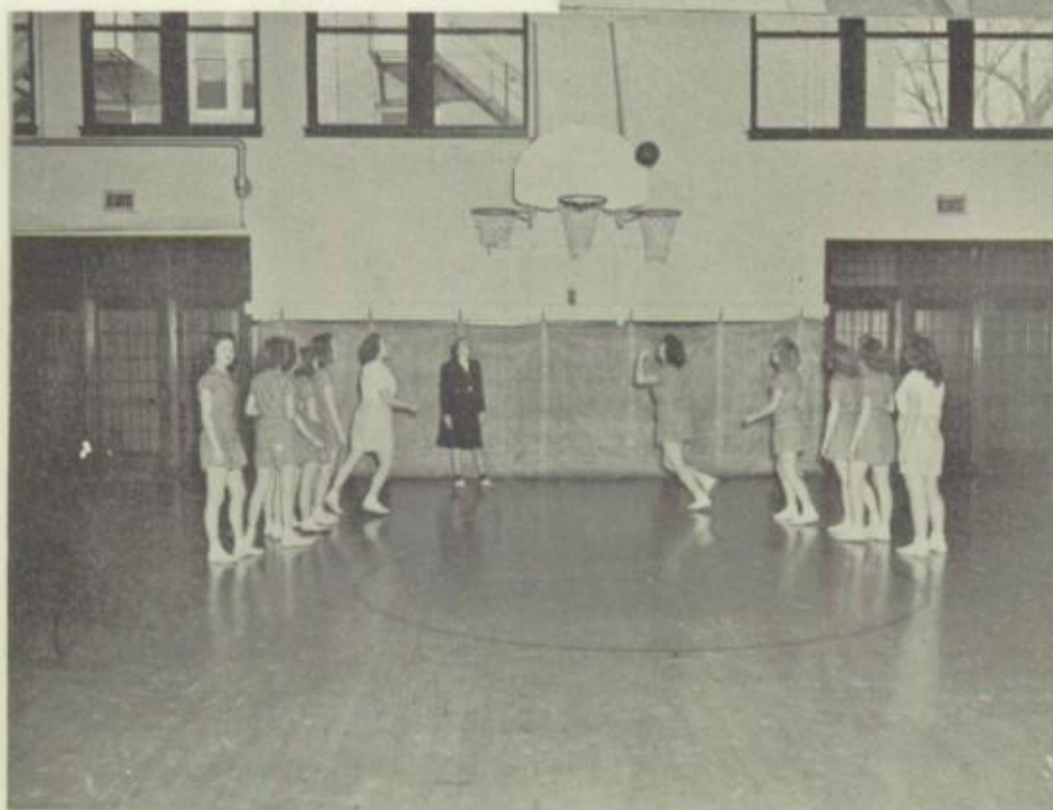
October 23. The Junior Play practice was interrupted tonight when some pranksters put a goat in the schoolhouse.

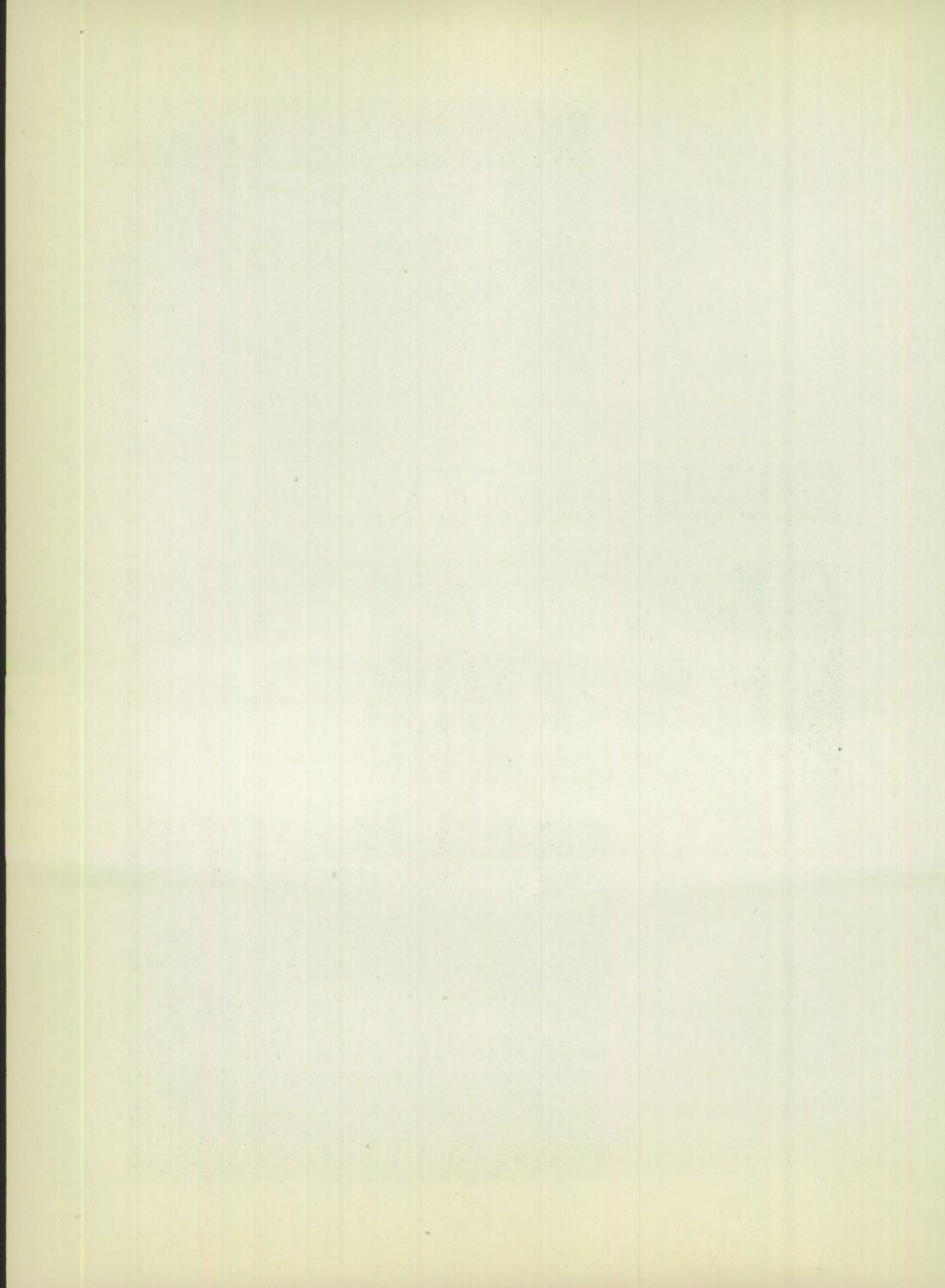
October 24. The Juniors took fifty minutes on choosing class rings, but the boys finally got their way.

October 25. Votes were counted and Jane Ann Townslay won as Homecoming Queen. Seniors must have had more pennies or did a certain Junior boy?

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October 30. Joanne Noble tripped on a chair and broke out her front tooth during play practice. The Senior play cast will be insured.

November 1. Cuba High had their first Homecoming. Farmington played Cuba and Cuba lost, but the Homecoming was still was still a big success.

November 7. F.H.A. initiation. More fun! More members.

November 11. Hurray! Hurray! No school.

November 12. Mr. Biggs rented the film "Our Town" and showed it to the cast. He agreed that his cast was doing a better job than what had been done by actors and actresses of the motion picture.

November 14. Dress rehearsal for "Our Town." The cast worked till midnight. They were looking forward to the fifteenth.

November 15. Junior Class presented "Our Town" with a cast of fifty one students. They proved that a serious play can be a success.

November 27. At 3:10 today, our Thanksgiving vacation started. But! Oh! Those assignments we have to do during vacation.

December 3. The Cardinal Staff gave an assembly to sell subscriptions. It was a success with 176 annuals being sold.

December 15. Miss Cantwell of the Music Department had charge of the Christmas Vesper services which were held at the Methodist Church.

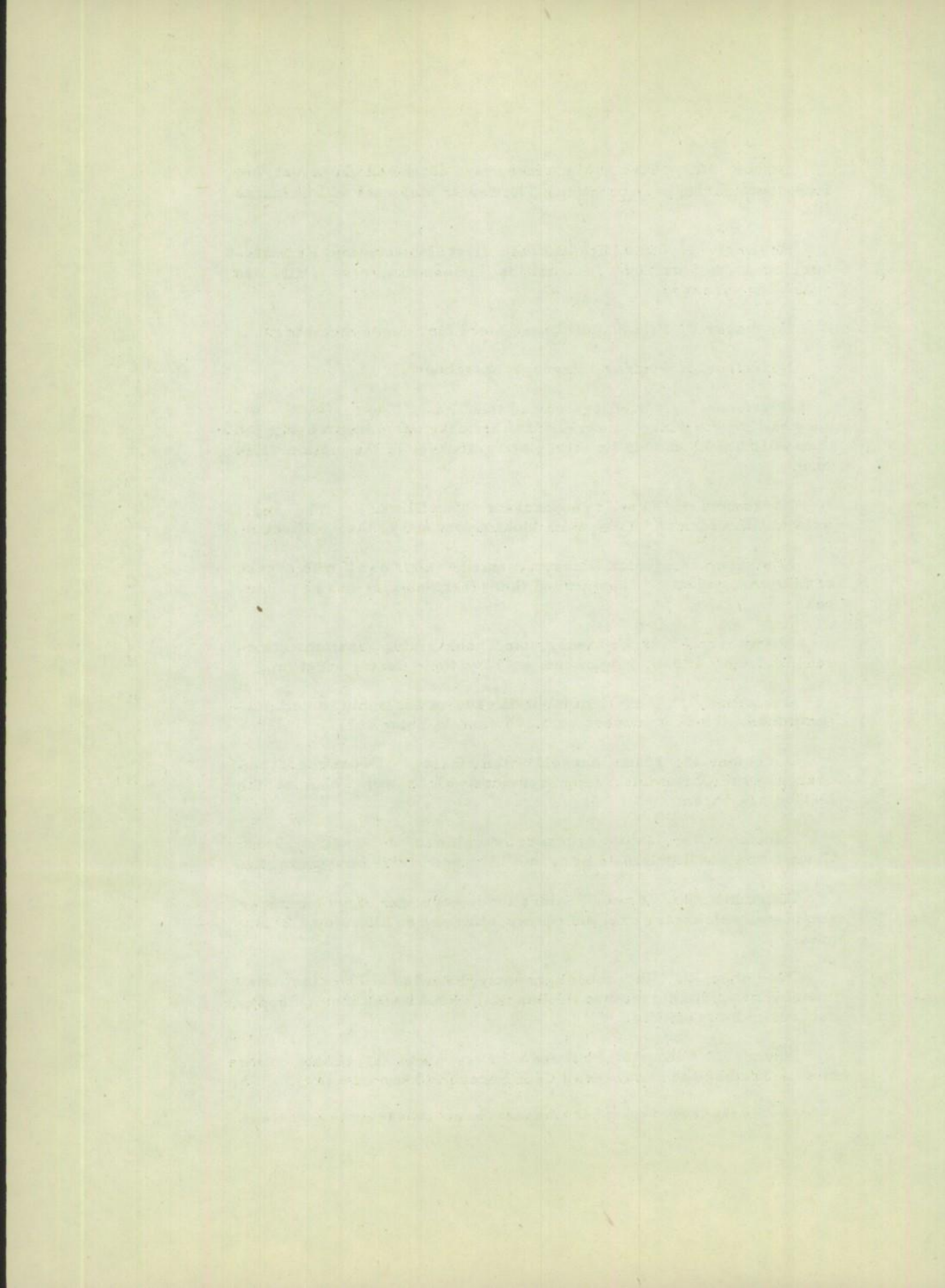
December 18. Juniors sponsored an all school party. Santa Claus came and distributed gifts to all the good little boys and girls.

December 20. We poor Seniors today gave Mr. Biggs our masterpieces, which were original plays. Now we can all enjoy Christmas.

December 25. Our school secretary, Freeda Tomkins was married at 4:00 p.m. to Arnold Bonnett. We all wish them a happy, successful married life.

January 2. Not again, but here we are back at school once more. Too bad the snow wasn't deep enough to keep us away.

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January 13. Mr. Biggs was slammed against the walls and trampled on in his vigil at the locker room.

January 15. Bill Sweney took a nose dive down the steps and his books went everywhere. Miss Cantwell blamed him for being late for chorus. Shame on her!

January 16-17. Semester Examinations! It must have taken the teachers a month to figure out such difficult questions.

January 22-25. The Fulton County Tournament at Cuba. Farmington won the trophy. Where was Cuba?

January 28. Bob Stevenson lost part of his left thumb in the Agricultural class today.

February 5. Mr. Stutsman caught George Johnson throwing candy to Wilbur McClaughry in Study Hall. Mr. Stutsman had it put in the office safe.

February 7. Lucky students. No school today. Teachers had to go to Teachers' Institute.

February 12. Another holiday. Aren't we glad that we had a Lincoln?

February 13. Pictures for the Cardinal were taken. No school during the morning.

February 14. Valentines Day. Even the teachers rated valentines. Lorena Miller, Larry Clifford, and Hobart Hinderliter took the examination for the Pepsi Cola Scholarship. Miss Barbre's candy was good, wasn't it, Larry?

February 15. Cuba was represented in the All State Chorus by James Sosey, Vera Clayberg, Randall Manuell, and Rosalie Black. Nice going!

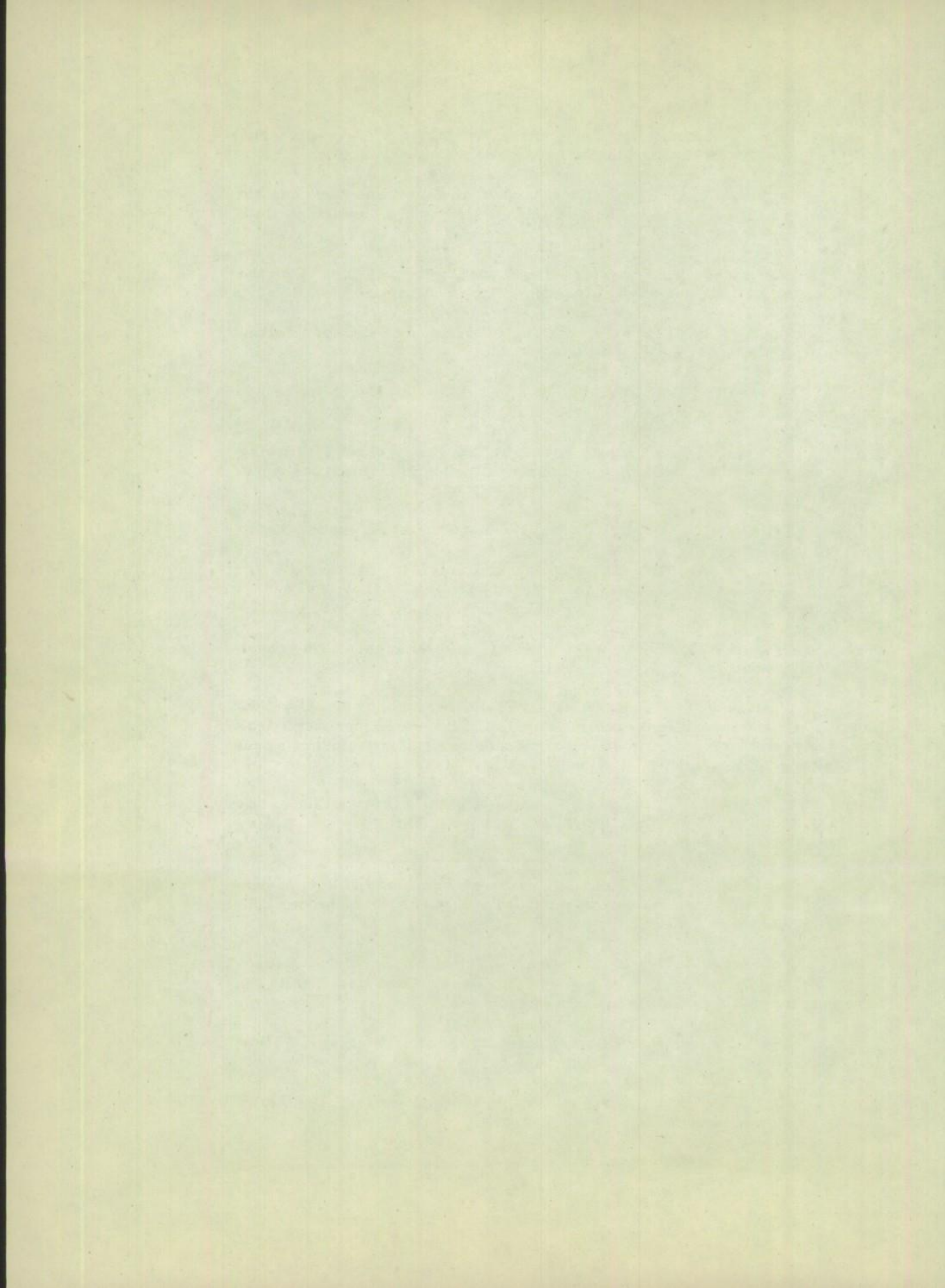
February 18. The F.H.A. entertained the school with an assembly on courtesy and manners. We all found out what the opposite sex didn't like about us.

February 20. The F.F.A. entertained the F.H.A. girls with a swell party and program. The cow Jim Hess milked was really an inspiration, and the party was a big success.

February 25. Seniors started rehearsal on "Professor, How Could You!"

March 7. The Cardinal was sent to the Walsworth Brothers. Now we can lean back and relax. Maybe!

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March 11. Clara Black had to slap Larry Clifford's face an extra time for effect in the Senior play rehearsal.

March 17. Seniors gave a St. Patrick's party. Everyone wore something green and practiced on their Irish.

March 24. We knew you had a big mouth Larry! But one-fourth a pie at a bite. WOW!

March 29. Some of us lucky students competed in the District Solo and Ensemble Music Contest.

April 1. Plenty of pranks were played on the teachers by the students but they took it as good sports.

April 4. No School. Good Friday. Our last vacation this school year.

April 10. Dress rehearsal for "Professor, How Could You!" The cast had fun; but Mr. Biggs didn't.

April 11. The Senior Class presented "Professor, How Could You!" in the Cuba Gymnasium. The play was a success.

April 19. All the mothers and fathers did their chores early so they could attend the F.F.A.--F.H.A. Banquet. Every one had a swell time.

May 11. Some of us went to the Illinois Valley Speech And Music Contests at Rushville. Nice ride.

May 18. We poor Seniors attended Baccalaureate services. Now all we have to do is pass our exams so we can graduate.

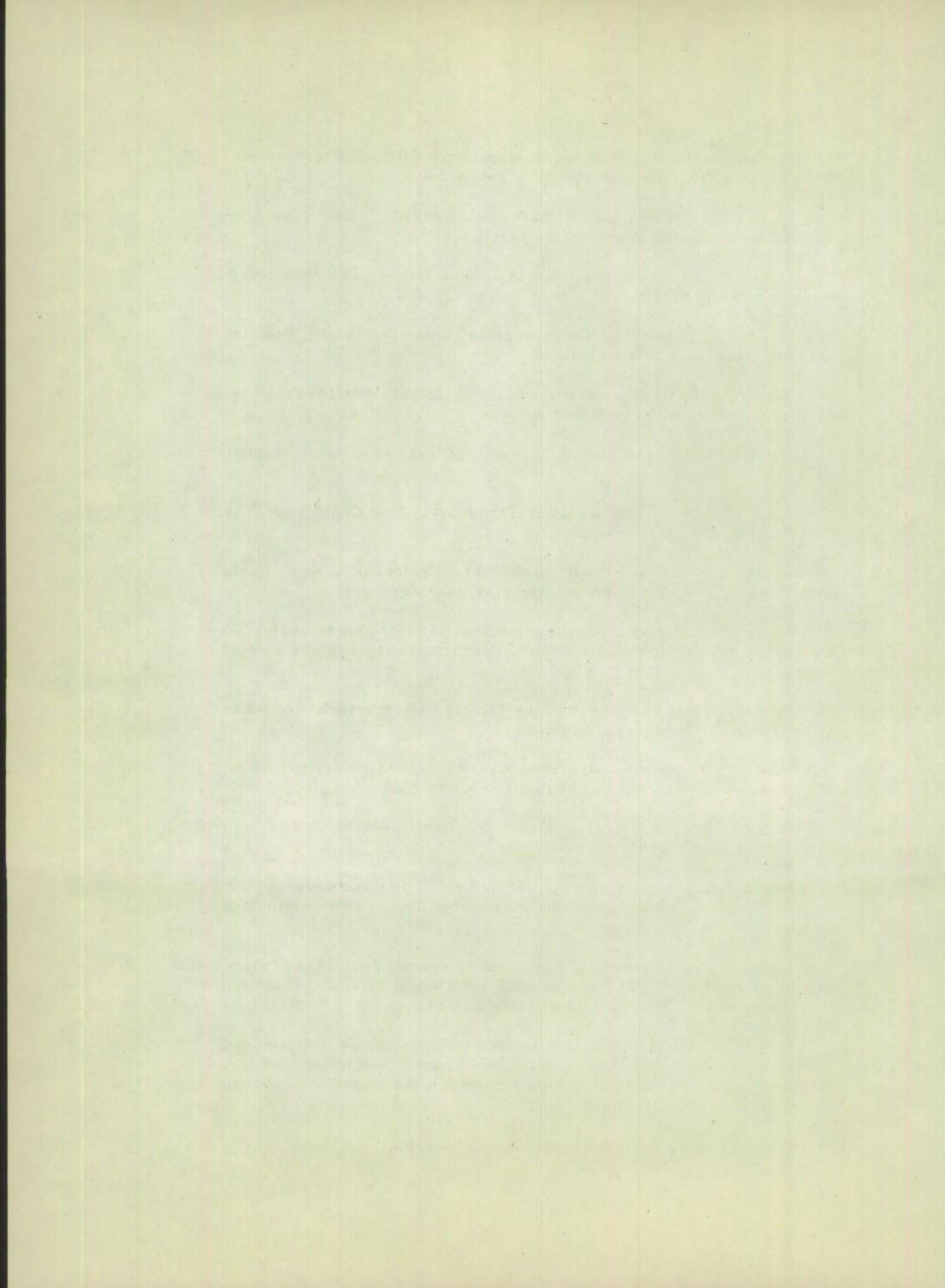
May 20. Cram! Cram! Cram! Oh! Don't we wish we had studied harder this second semester.

May 21. The inevitable hour has arrived. We were nervous but kept our fingers crossed, because we took our last examinations in Cuba High.

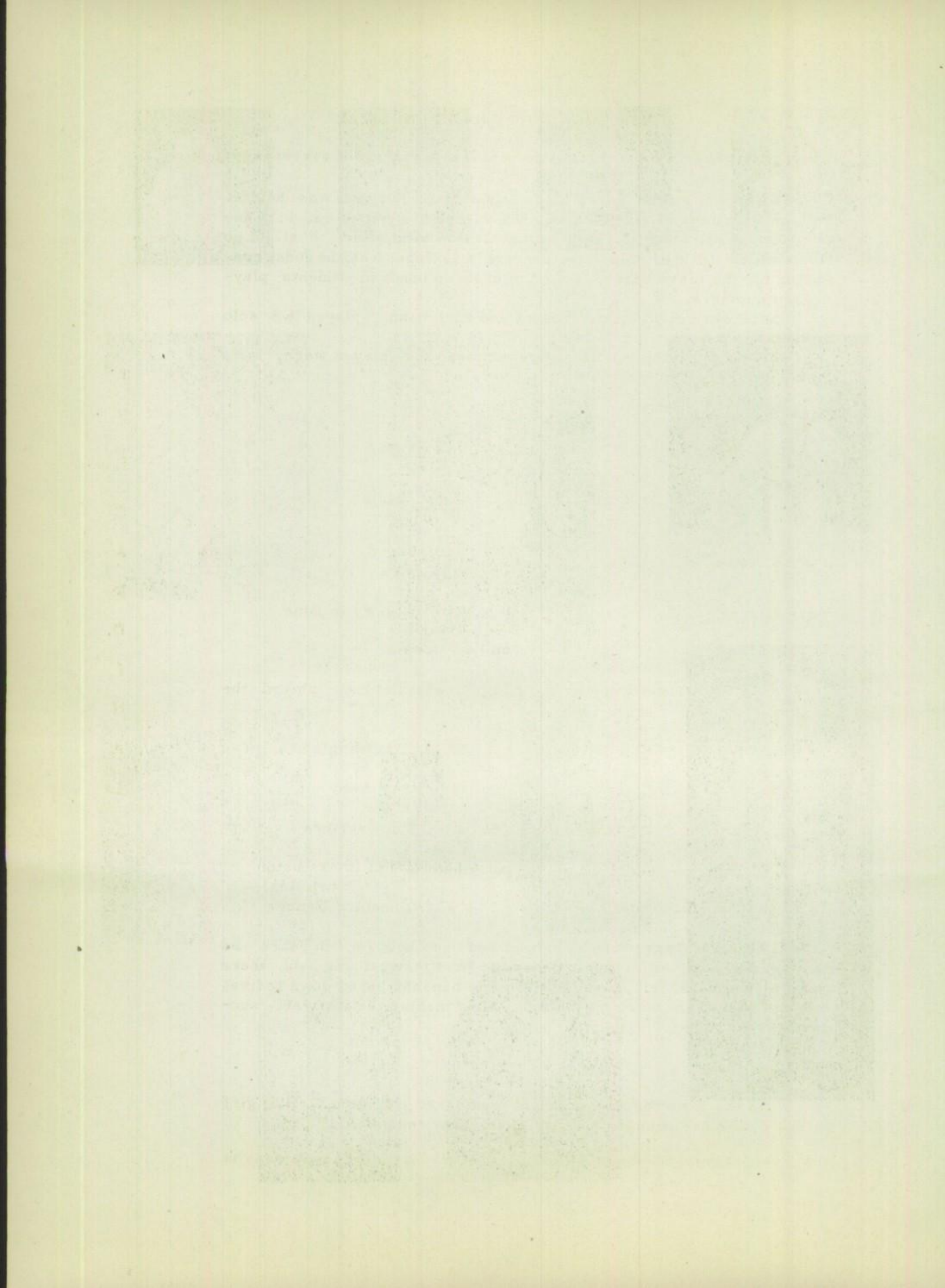
May 23. The Class of '47 has reached another rung in the ladder to success. Now we will face the cold, hard world or attempt to get into the already packed colleges. Here's to us!

May 24. Today the teachers started their vacations. Mr. Biggs went West, Miss Barbre went East, Miss Pennell went North, and Mr. Marvin went South. Rest of Cuba's faculty left the United States to escape from Cuba, Illinois.

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FULTON COUNTY BAND FESTIVAL

The annual Fulton County High School Band Festival was held at 7:30 on February 17, 1947 at the Alice Ingersoll gymnasium in Canton. Ketric Klingman, director of the Canton band, was host. Leo Devorak, Eastern Illinois State Teacher's College, was the guest conductor for the mass bands consisting of three hundred students playing ten numbers.

There were eight bands present and each band played two solo numbers.

The towns having bands and the numbers they played were:

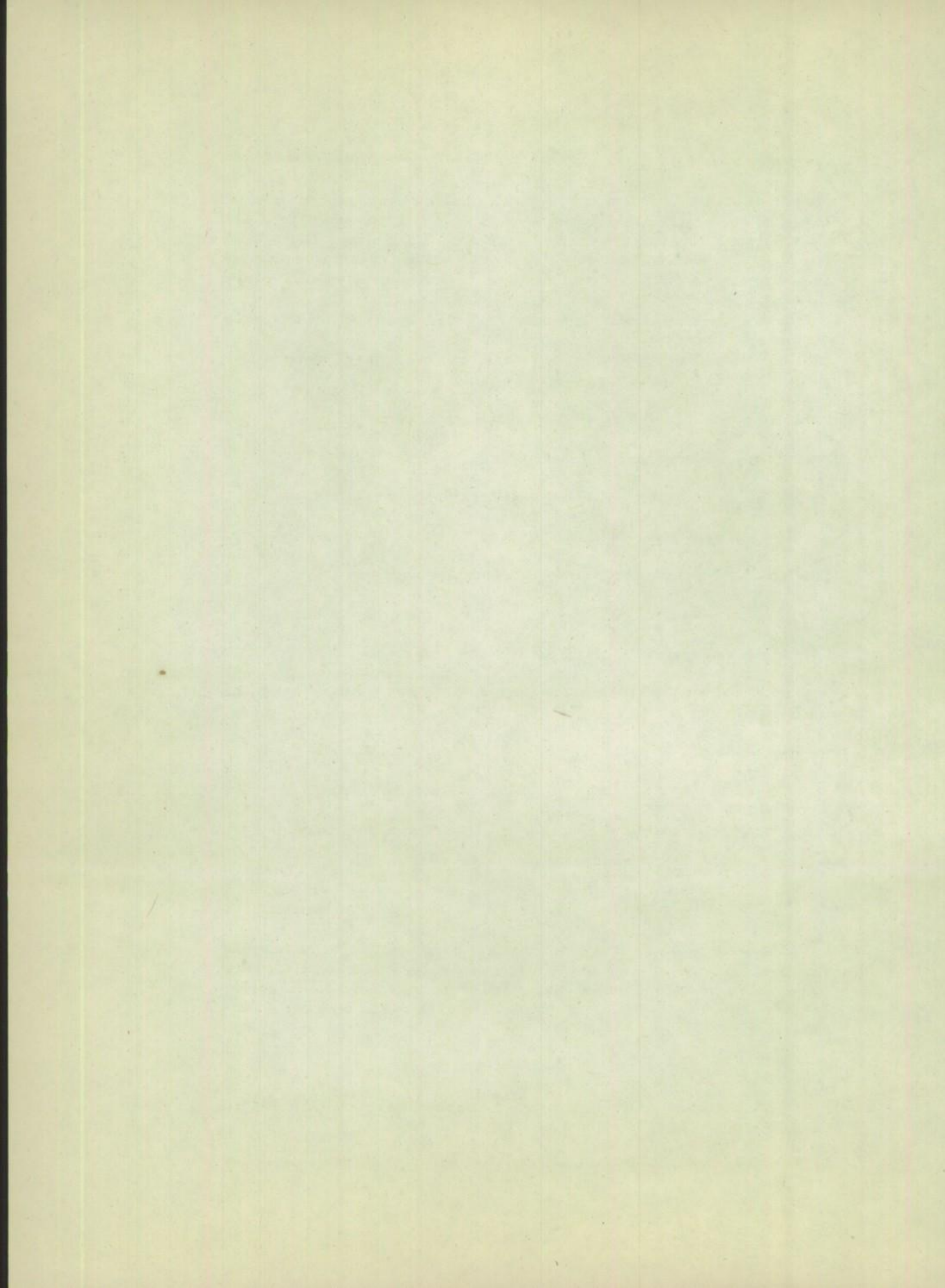
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Table Grove--Golden Bears March--Melody Parade	H
Fairview--Headway March--Merry Men	E
Avon--Washington Post--Omar Kaayyam Overture	C
Cuba--Loyalty March--Minuet Overture	A
Lewistown--Basketball March--Ambition Overture	R
Farmington--Colonel Minor's March--Little Rhapsody in Blue	D
Canton--Stout Hearted Men--Bells of Saint Mary's	I

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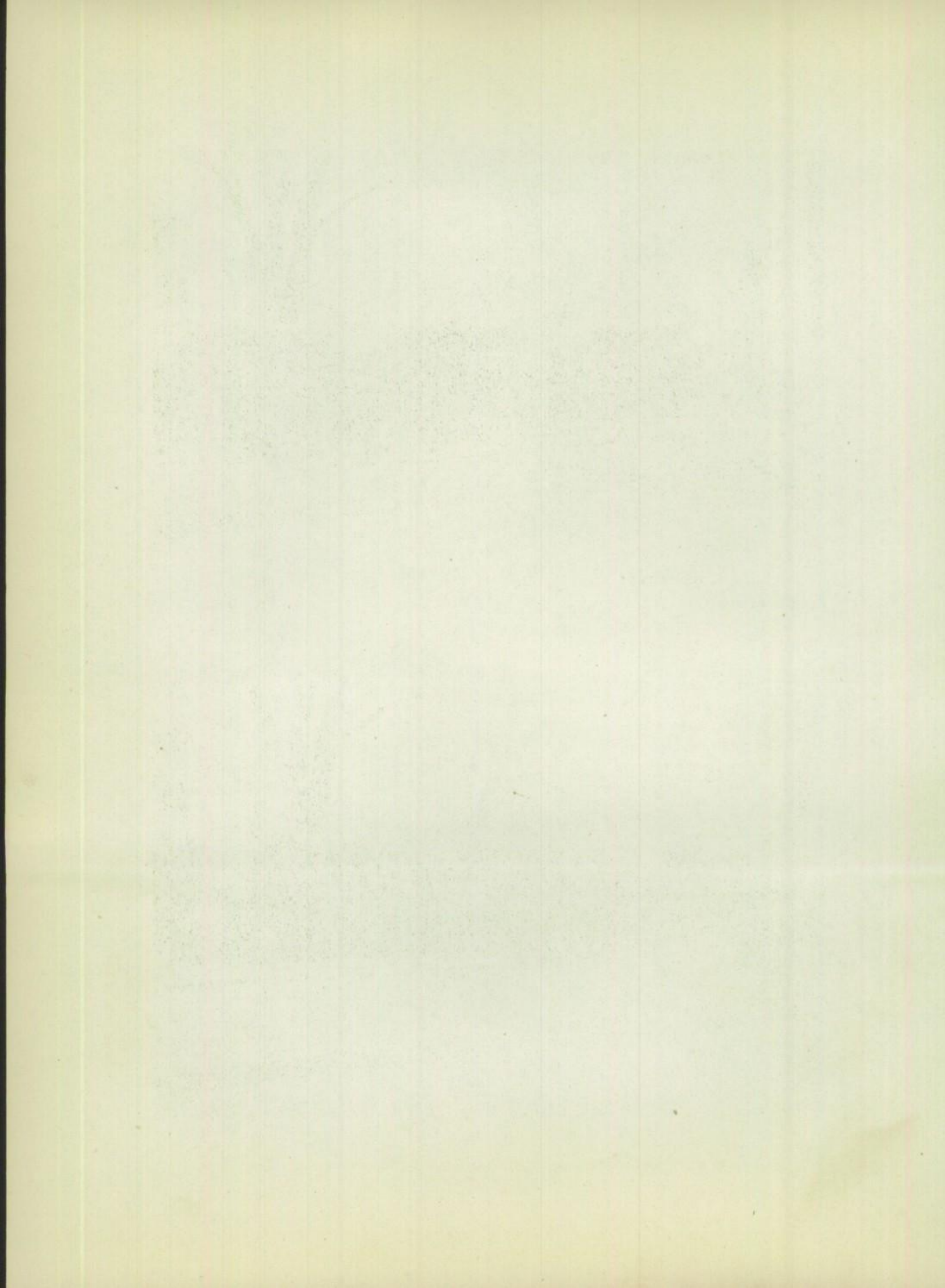
America	Operatic Mingle	A
Show Boy	Anchors Away	L
The Oracle Overture	Balaton Overture	
Donkey Serenade	Show Girl (mass baton twirling)	
The Thunderer March	Star Spangled Banner	

The Fulton County Band Festival has been held for ten years and this year was one of the best. When the first festival was held, there were eleven bands and during the war the bands dropped down to five; but this year there were eight bands, thus making the festival successful

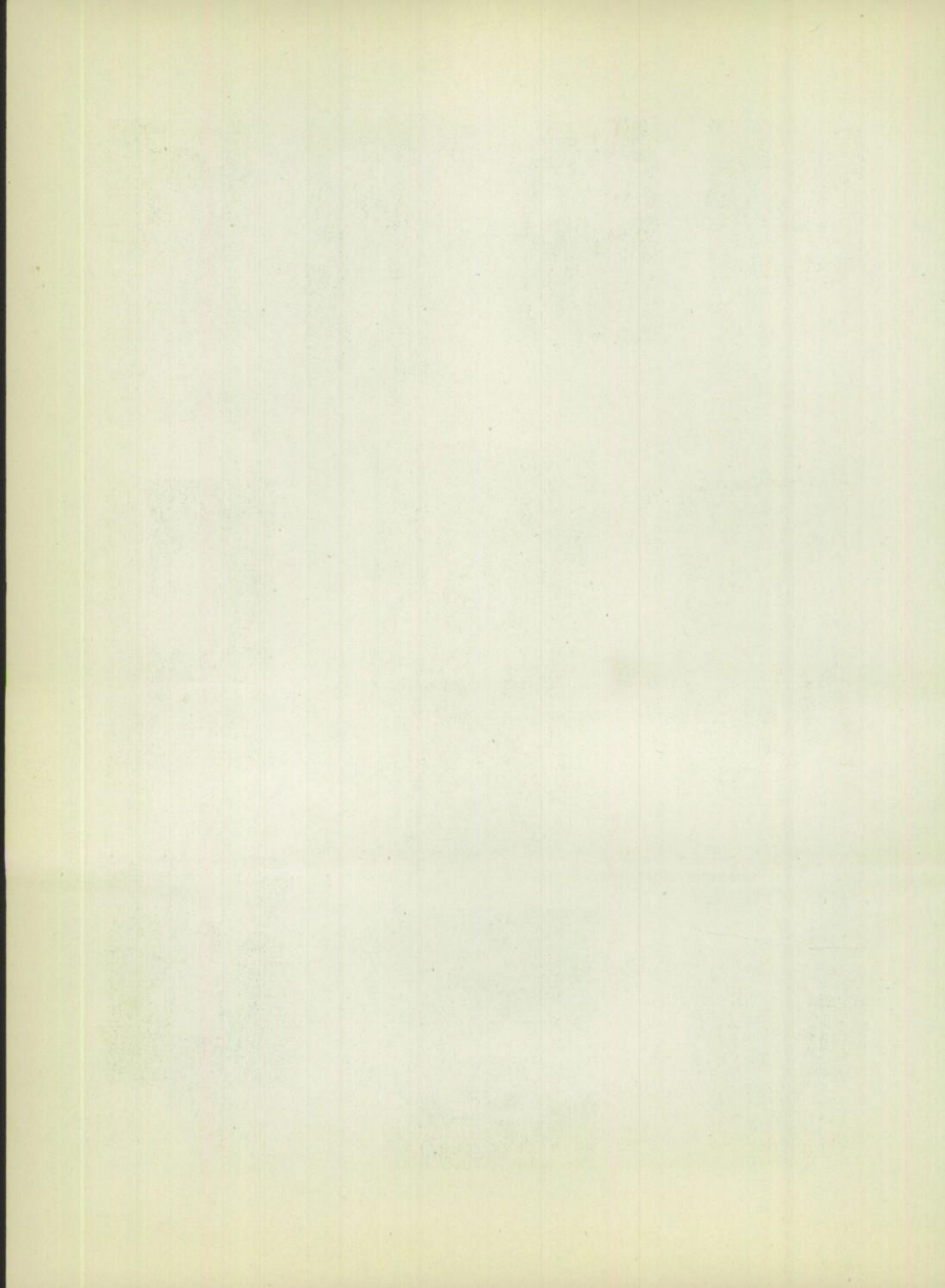
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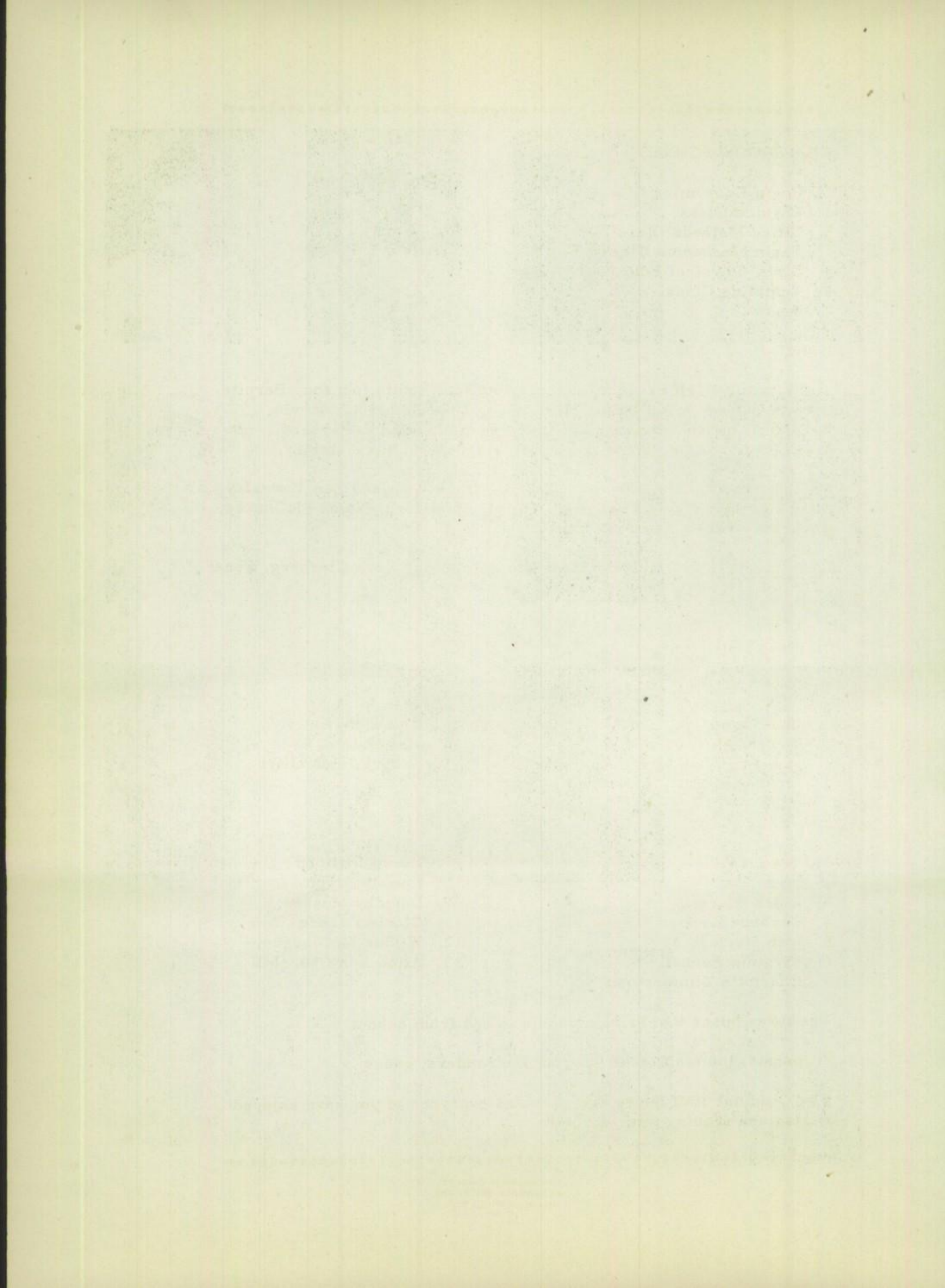












CLASSROOM SCENES

1. Hoem Economics Class
2. Physics Class
3. Office Methods Class
4. Farm Mechanics Class
5. Girls' Physical Education Class
6. Tumbling Class
7. Band

BAND

Outer circle - left to right - Robert Pittman, Lonita Johnson, Bernita George, Junior Palin, James Merritt, Jay Lescalett, Mr. Marvin, Bradford Murphy, Joan Jayne, Shirley Cooper, Eunice Clayberg, Anna Marie Huff, Victor Juliusson, Robert Clayberg, Eddie Tomkins.

T

H

E

Second circle - Glenn Whites, Sharon McConkey, Jane Ann Townslay, Janet Freeman, Donald Juliusson, Robert Herriford, James McConkey, Robert Stevenson, Joanne Robinson.

C

Inner circle - Patricia Marshall, Joan Clayberg, Vera Clayberg, Ronald Rock, James Sosey.

A

R

8. Library
9. Study Hall

D

BABY PICTURES 1st page

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| 1. Bill Sweney | 5. Clyde Townslay |
| 2. Donna Keefauver | 6. Mae Hale |
| 3. Jane Ann Townslay | 7. Robert Hinderliter |
| 4. Fred Ervin Biggs | |

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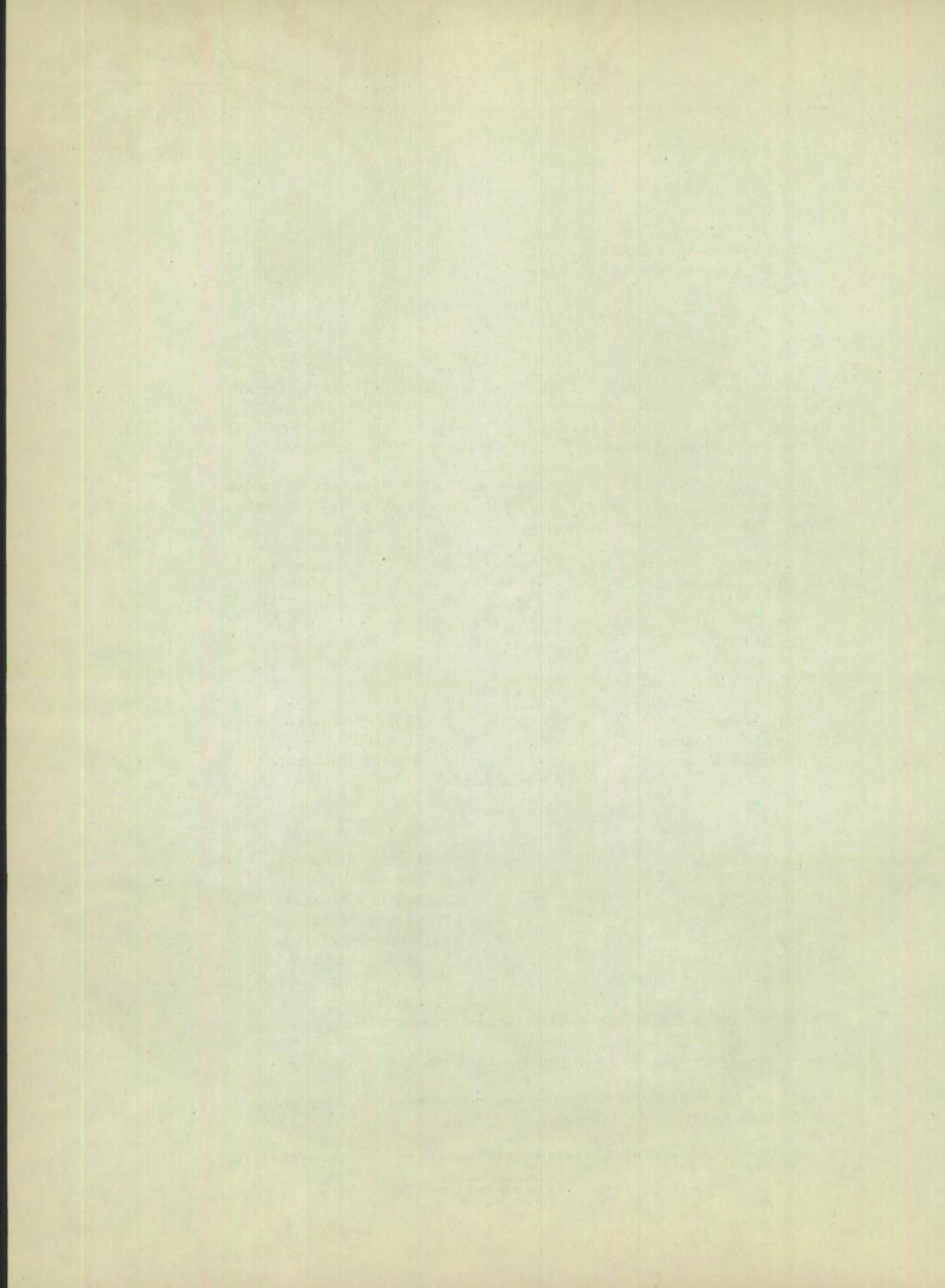
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| 1. Carol Grubb | 8. Larry Clifford |
| 2. Joyce Stell | 9. Lowell Bryon |
| 3. Clara Black | 10. Dorothy Mosher |
| 4. Barbara Rock | 11. Gloria Barbre |
| 5. Joan Steck | 12. Wilbur McClaughry |
| 6. Virginia Pennell | 13. Alice Ann Churchill |
| 7. Charlotte Zimmerman | |

The three buses that bring students to and from school.

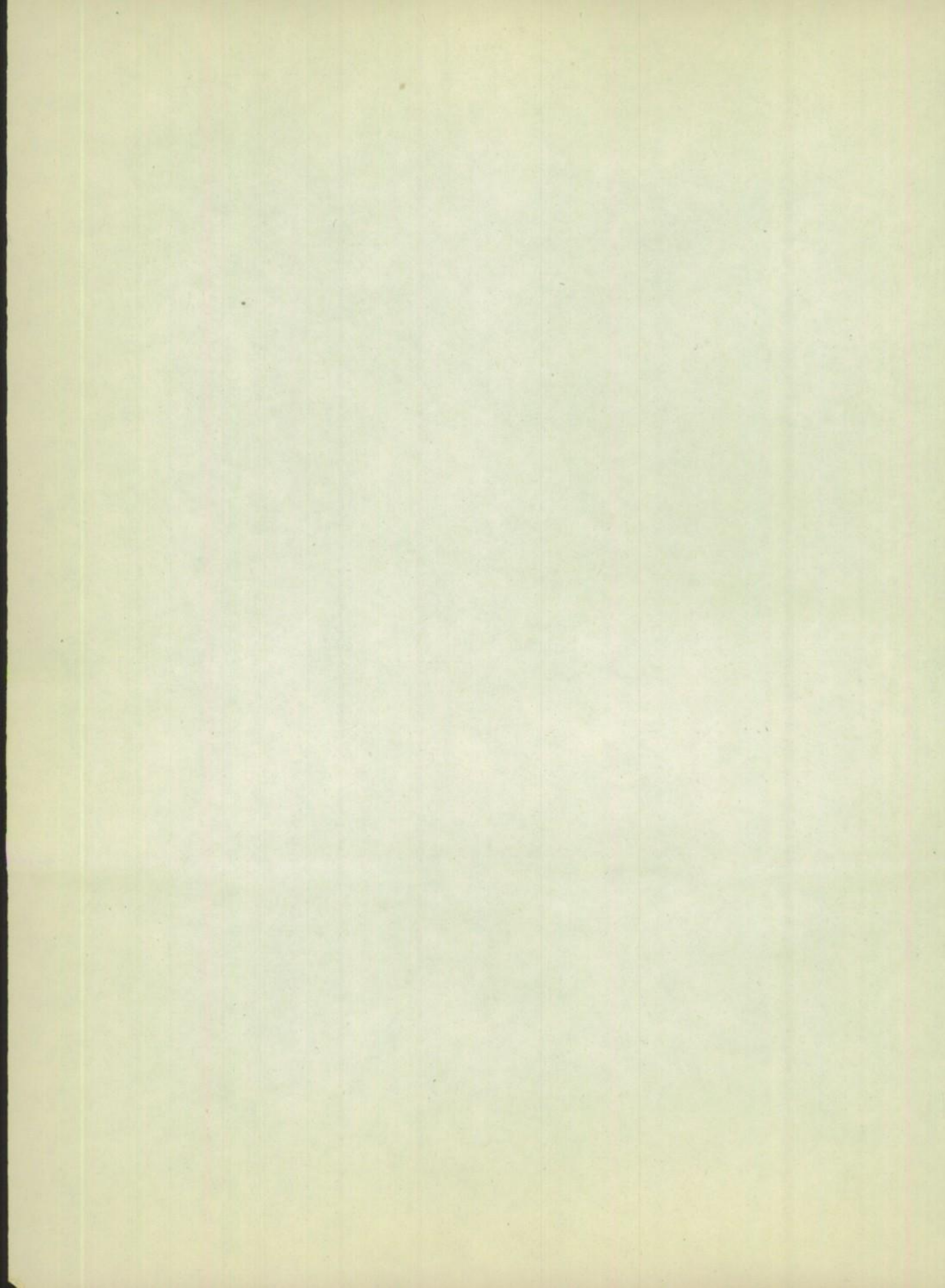
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